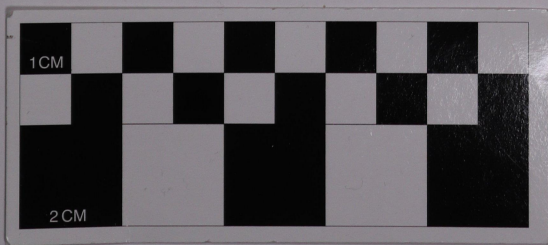


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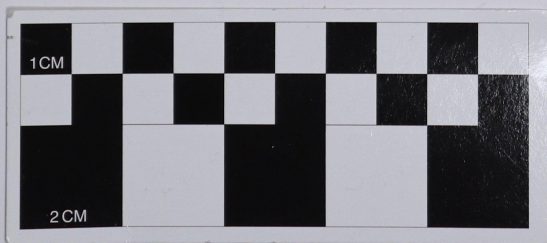
She has served as president of HOY Community Clinic, was chairman of the student loan committee of the Altrusa Club

Turn to MRS.,
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The American Red Cross might well be Jim Parker's middle name. He served on the executive board of the Arcadia chapter as secretary in the early 1970's while still employed with the Southern California Edison Company.

Turn to JIM,
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Mrs. Gilb honored as top citizen

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and chaired Altrusa's Day at the Races, a fund-raiser which is held annually at Santa Anita Race Track in Arcadia.

She has been chairwoman of the highly successful HOY Follies, the Arcadia Sister City Commission and has served as the secretary of the Arcadia Friendship Club, the travel arm of the Sister City Commission. In addition, she and her husband, Charles, opened their home for the annual Holiday Homes Tour which is aimed at benefitting Arcadia Methodist Hospital.

Currently she is president of the Arcadia Tournament of Roses Association, having served five years on the board of directors in various capacities.

She was also chairman of the Arcadia All City Faire, has been a member of Parent Alert, Arcadia Historical Society, Friends of the Arcadia Library and the Visiting Nurses Association.

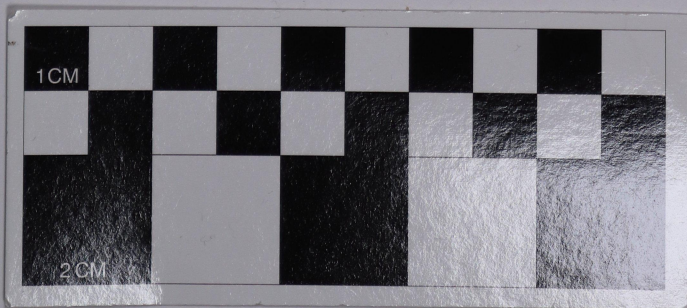
She chaired benefits for the Red Cross building fund and the Cardiac

League, in addition to serving as Cardiac League president for two years. She has been president of Mount Alverno Guild, contributed service to the National Charity League, Social Services of Los Angeles County, Santa Teresita Hospital Guild and the Rays of Hope Chapter of City of Hope.

In 1977 Mrs. Gilb was the first co-chairman of the Santa Anita National Horse Show, a benefit for the U.S. Equestrian Team. She was also on the Arcadia PTA Council Board, as well as on the board at Mayfield Junior and Senior schools and Flintridge Prep School.

Born in Havre, Mont. to Joseph and Policena Valadon, she was graduated from high school as senior class president. She attended the University of Idaho and in 1947 married Charles Gilb of Twin Falls. They moved to California in 1949, settling in Arcadia in 1950.

In addition to her volunteer work she is the owner of the women's fashion store, RV Collections, in Arcadia.



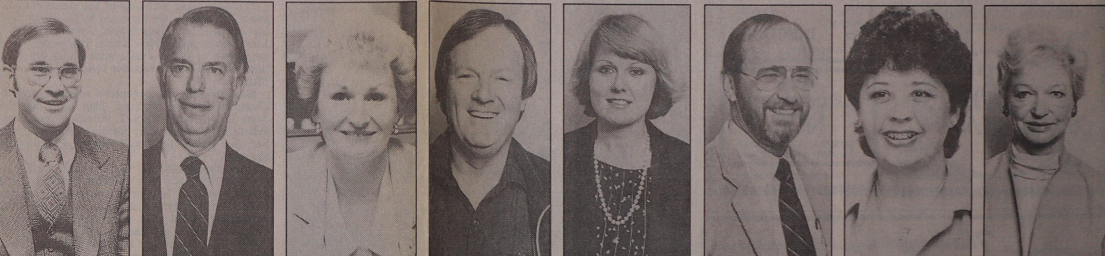
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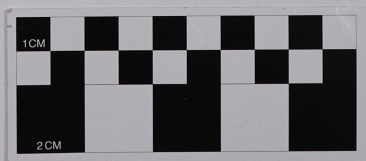


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Gilb, Ms. Young

Voters reject Proposition A resoundingly

By HELEN O. SCHRADER
Editor

Charles E. Gilb, former Arcadia mayor and councilman, who decided in January not to seek a third term, changed his mind a month later. With 25.7 percent of the vote, he won handily in Tuesday's hard-fought election.

It was a close race among the other four major contenders with Mary Young edging out the others for the second vacant seat.

Councilmen Jeff Dring and Dick Haltom, both one-term members, decided not to seek re-election, thus leaving two seats open.

Bob Harbicht, who said he thought of himself as a dark horse, came in third, while Craig Lucas, who was expected by many election watchers to run second only to Gilb, came in fourth, closely followed by Joanna Bruno.

The other three candidates, Charles Chivetta Sr., Johanna



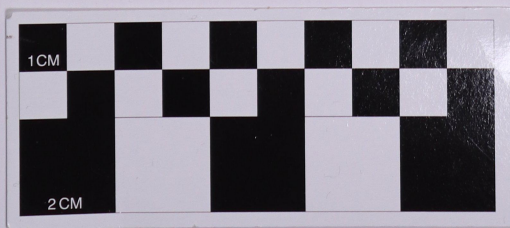
Charles Gilb and Mary Young were elected.

Hofer and Joe Scurto, received only minimal support.

Proposition A, a charter amendment providing for a runoff election if candidates didn't get a majority of the votes cast, went down to defeat almost 2 to 1. Backers of the measure

sent out a last-minute mailing to 15,000 voters over the weekend to the apparent surprise of opponents who had not campaigned through the mail. Jim Helms, a former mayor and a leader of the group supporting the measure, refused to disclose how

win election



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much money was spent on the mailing.

Consensus was that Arcadians didn't want to spend the \$25,000 that a second election would have cost.

Gilb was precluded from running two years ago by the city charter which provides that a council member may serve only two consecutive terms. He lost his first bid for a seat 12 years ago.

"This is my fourth campaign," he said Tuesday night, "and my most fulfilling." He said that after a rocky start he hadn't expected to win but he gave full credit to his committee and precinct workers "who covered the town. They did a fantastic job."

Mrs. Young said she was grateful to the people of Arcadia and the election results reinforced her faith in them. "I'm convinced they want a real fine city, a community of homes. I will work hard to live up to the faith the citizens have in me," she said.

Ironically, if the charter amendment had been on the December ballot as planned — except that there was no December ballot — the top four candidates would have been in a run-off election this time since no one received a majority of the votes cast.

Arcadia

25 of 25 precincts reporting

Candidates

For two City Council seats:

	Votes	Pct.
Joanna Bruno	2,338	16
Charles Chivetta	336	2
Charles Gilb	3,898	26
Robert Harbicht	2,487	16
Johanna Hofer	367	2
Craig Lucas	2,475	16
Joseph Scurto	207	1
Mary Young	3,034	20

For City Clerk:

Christine Van Maanen (i) 4,767 100

Prop. A: establishing run-off elections; needs simple majority to pass.

Yes	2,677	36
No	4,810	64

Turnout was surprisingly low considering the intensity of the campaigns that preceded the election. With a registration of 27,500, only 8,300 ballots were cast, a 30 percent turnout.

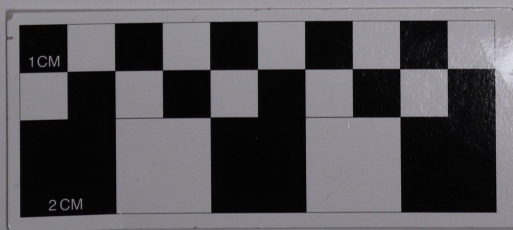
Gilb took 22 of the 25 consolidated precincts, with Mrs. Young winning in one of the other three and Lucas ahead in two.

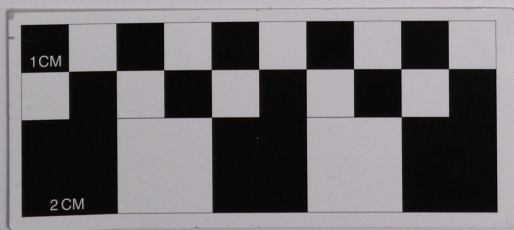
Harbicht showed surprising strength since he is a comparative newcomer to the community, having moved to Arcadia only 10 years ago from Duarte where

he had previously served as mayor and councilman. Like most of the other candidates, he vigorously walked the precincts.

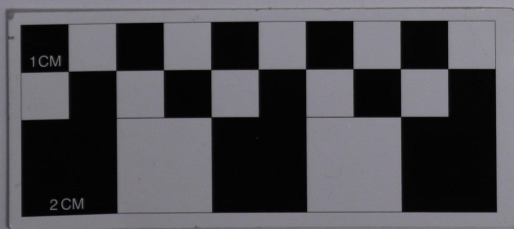
He and Gilb both campaigned on the basis of their experience in city government. Harbicht said qualifications — not issues — were the main concern in the election.

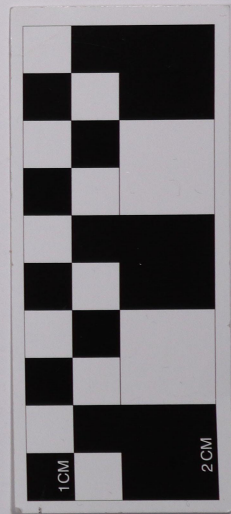
Mrs. Young emphasized the residential quality of Arcadia in her campaign, saying that careful thought should be given to further commercial development.

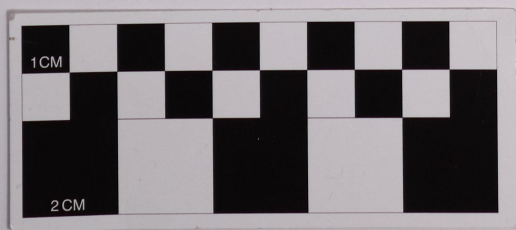


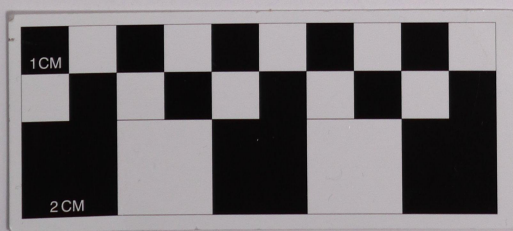


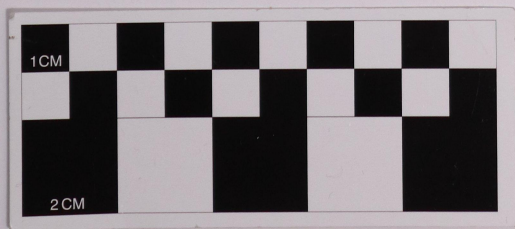
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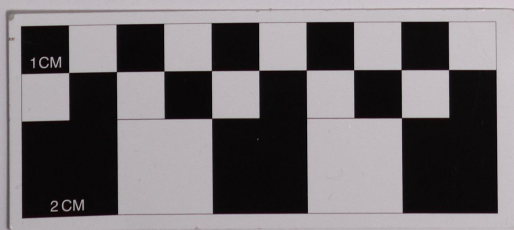


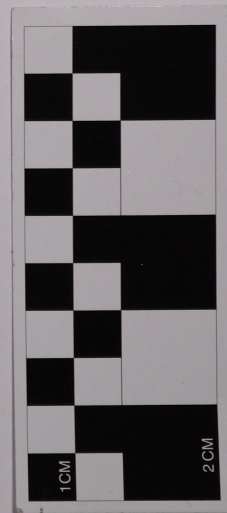






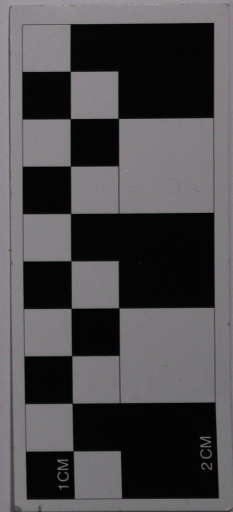


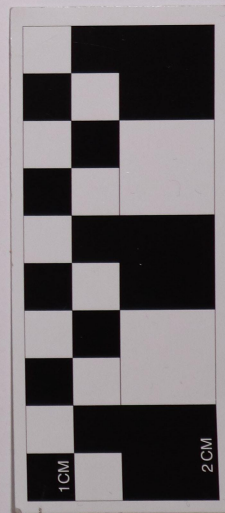




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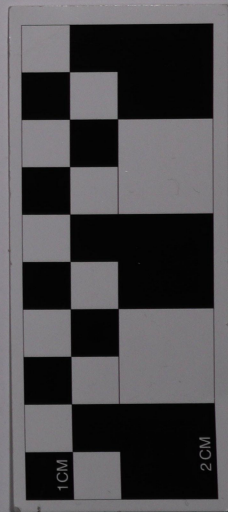
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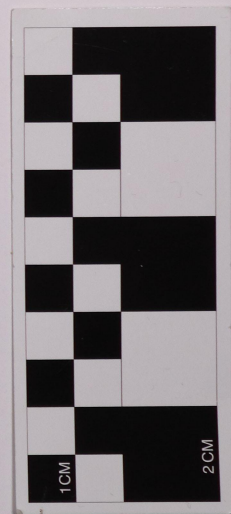
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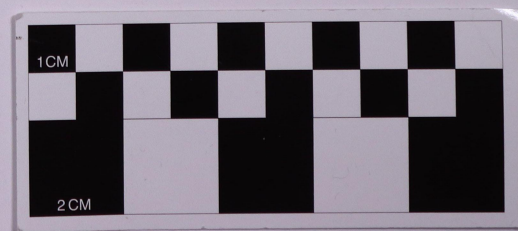


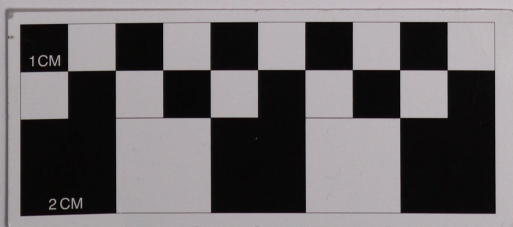
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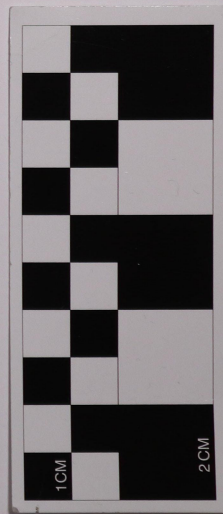


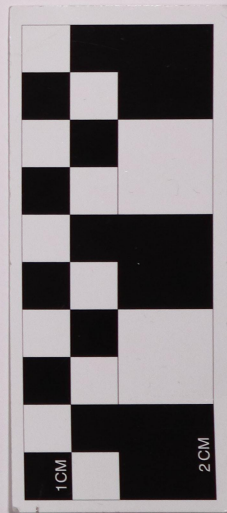
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Opening Day — Arcadia Mayor Charles Gilb, left, tells Ray Rogers, executive vice president of Santa Anita Race Track, his choice for the next race in the Directors Room of the Turf Club at Santa Anita on opening day, Dec. 26. At the Turf Club elevator, Sherry Ellis of Monrovia is bundled up for the chilly weather, but her ever-present smile greets her passengers, many of them by name. In spite of the wintry weather, 62,461 racing fans lined up at the turnstiles to see the horses run. Among them was D. Wayne Lukas-trained On the Line, who won the Malibu Stakes for the Arcadia trainer.

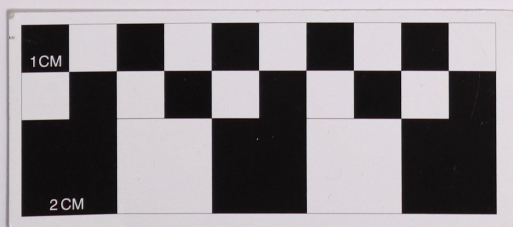










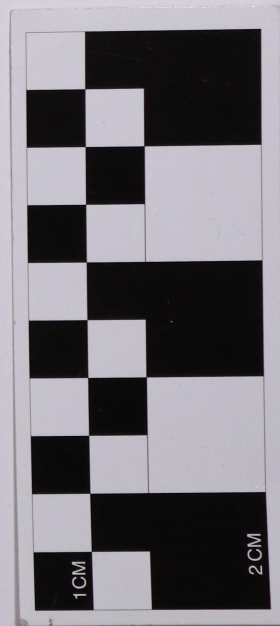


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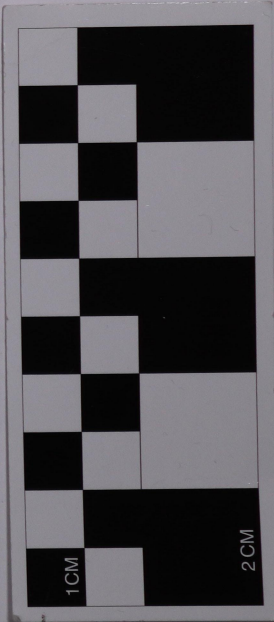
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CHARLES E. GILB
940 SINGINGWOOD DRIVE
ARCADIA, CALIFORNIA 91006

February 1, 1984

Dear Fellow Arcadians:

Your are probably aware that I have filed for Election to the Arcadia City Council. The Election is April 10, 1984.

It has been my privilege to represent you as a Councilman and Mayor from 1974 to 1982. This responsibility within the city has led me to many local, county and state committees and assignments. Arcadia is a well known and well respected city as it reflects the vision and energies of many council people and public servants that have served you over the years. I have tried to uphold those high standards.

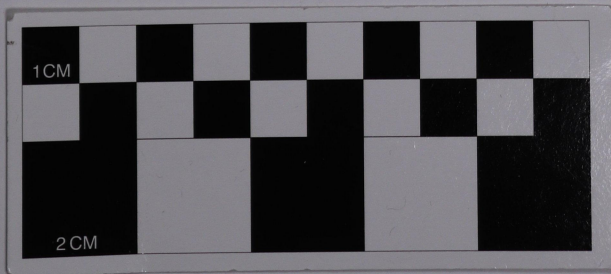
The strength of a city lies in the citizens of the community. Our city has been fortunate --- because people such as you have taken an interest in its destiny. It is because of this interest, which we both share --- that I am addressing you.

In order to be successful in this campaign, I need your help. I would consider it a personal favor if you could become involved. There are many ways to help --- if you could fill out the enclosed card and mail it in --- we can begin the effort that is necessary to insure a victory.

There are two seats open --- I thank you for any help you can give me and I ask you for one of your two votes on April 10th. I would be most pleased if you would recommend me to your friends.

Kindest personal regards

Charles E. Gilb
Charles E. Gilb



RUTH VALADON GILB

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333 N. SANTA ANITA, No. 4
ARCADIA, CALIFORNIA
91006

February 23, 1984

Dear Friends,

The Arcadia City Council election will take place on April 10, 1984.

I am writing to you to ask your support for a very capable, interested and extremely qualified candidate. Charles Gilb has represented you and me before, being Councilman for Arcadia from 1974 to 1982 and Mayor twice. He has had and continues to have the interest of Arcadia and Arcadians at heart by taking many assignments and committee positions on the local, county and state level. He firmly believes a city is as strong as its' citizens and leaders. Arcadia has always been fortunate to have many well qualified and alertly aware citizens ready to serve our Community.

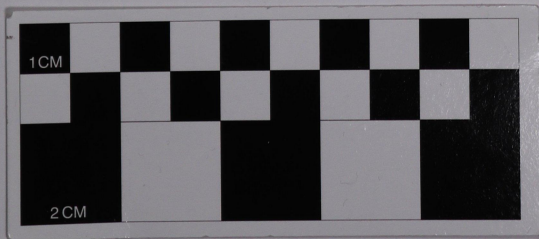
There are two seats open in this elections, and I ask that you give Charles one of your two votes. Also, there are other ways that help is needed. Enclosed is a card. If you could help him in any of the suggested ways, and return the card as soon as possible, I would greatly appreciate your effort.

Once again, Charles is for Arcadia and for all Arcadians. We need Charles and his experience to continue to have Arcadia the most outstanding and desirable Community in the San Gabriel Valley.

Sincerely,

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P.S. I might add Charles is my husband.



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Dear Friends,

We are attempting to assist Charles E. Gilb in his campaign for election to City Council in the city of Arcadia, California.

Charles has previously served Arcadia for 8 years as a councilman and two of the 8 years were as Mayor. He has also served as President of the Los Angeles County League of California Cities and President of the Independent Cities of Los Angeles County. For six years he was chairman of the City Selection Committee, which is comprised of eighty-three mayors from Los Angeles County. At the present time, he is chairman of the Los Angeles County Fire Commission. As you can see, Charles does not limit his political activity to Arcadia alone, but encompasses the total political area of our county and state.

It is in our interest that someone from our industry be involved in the political arena, voicing the needs and problems of our industry. Assistance is needed and will be appreciated in financing the election campaign of Charles E. Gilb.

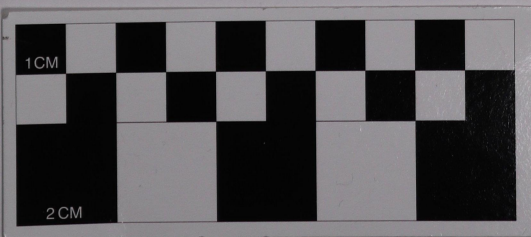
Your contribution will be greatly appreciated by the committee. Please make checks payable to "Citizens to Elect Charles E. Gilb" and return it in the enclosed envelope. Please accept this letter as our acknowledgement and thanks for your contribution.

Yours Truly,

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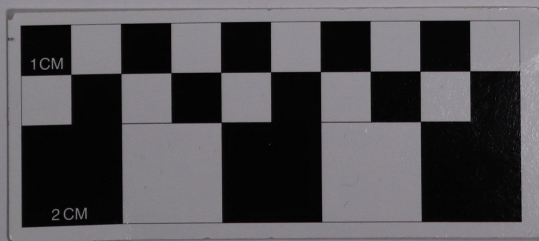




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CHARLES E. GILB
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December 23, 1983

I am sending this letter to you, in order that you will know, how much I appreciate your friendship. Your offer of support for my candidacy in the upcoming Arcadia City Election is most gratifying.

After weighing all of the pro's and con's of seeking the office of City Councilman, I have decided not to be a candidate.

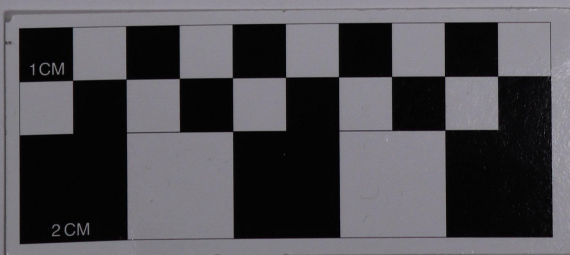
It has been very difficult for me to make this decision. I, like you, love and respect Arcadia. The eight years I spent on the City Council were time consuming, but really enjoyable. Your support during those times helped make it all worthwhile.

I still intend to be active in the community and lend a hand, where needed, to better our wonderful city.

Thank you again.

Kindest Personal Regards

Charles E. Gilb



TO: The Citizens of the City of Arcadia

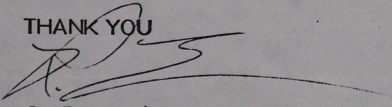
From: The Officers of the Arcadia Police Relief Association

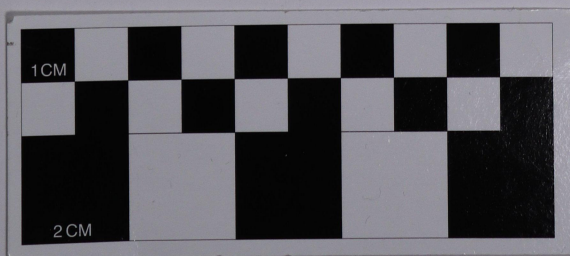
Crime is on everyones mind today. Even in the one time bedroom Community of Arcadia, crime is on the rise. Neighborhood Watch signs are now a common sight. The cities daytime population is on the rise due to the redevelopment in the downtown business district, which brings more out-of-town people through the City. Our residential areas are upper-middle class and some of the most beautiful homes in Southern California can be found here. Arcadia residents have enjoyed being able to go for a walk around the block after dark without the fear of being mugged, attacked, robbed or worse, a common occurence in too many cities today. However, the City Planners have no plans to surround the city with a high wall, mote and drawbridge, so you must rely on your Police Department to ensure your safety.

The Officers of the Arcadia Police Relief Association would like to point out that a Police Department must grow with its City if it hopes to keep a handle on crime in this Community. Our Officers enjoy being able to build our relationship with the citizens and businessmen, a luxury rarely afforded to other City Police Officers. In order to maintain this environment, we are endorsing Mr. Craig Lucas and Mr. Charles E. Gilb for Arcadia City Council. These men are progressive thinkers whose attitudes can grow with the Cities needs and not rely on old, traditional methods just because they have worked in the past. Crime is also a major issue on the minds of these men. They want to see that the Police Department has every advantage in fighting crime and keeping the Community a safe place for all of us to enjoy.

We feel that these men on the Arcadia City Council would be to the benefit of the Community and the Police alike. We encourage your support and vote for Mr. Gilb and Mr. Lucas on Election Day.

THANK YOU


R. Ernenwein
President



MARY J. JOSEPH
408 North First Avenue
Arcadia, California 91006

March 20, 1984

Dear Senior Citizen:

On Tuesday, April 10th, the City of Arcadia will elect two new members to the City Council.

As a select group of concerned citizens, we will be confronted with a very serious choice. One candidate stands out among them all. **CHARLES E. GILB** has a **PROVEN RECORD** in caring for the needs of **ARCADIA SENIOR CITIZENS**. He has served on the council for 8 years, and during that time, he:

Seconded the motion to form the Senior Citizen Committee

Was a driving force in Senior Citizen Housing Project

Kept Dial-A-Ride project strong after R.T.D. cut back schedules

Helped Seniors enjoy many cultural programs at his own expense

Helped initiate the program of cutting or eliminating utility rates to Seniors

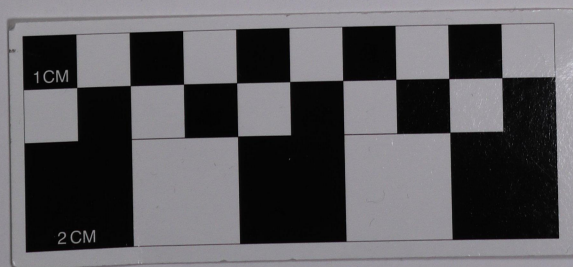
Has been a strong supporter of Senior Citizen Programs.

His strong business background is a very real asset to Arcadia. He has willingly given more than time to your interests.

We urge you to support his candidacy on April 10th so that we will be guaranteed not only an "active listener" on the Council, but will once again have a councilman who has a **RECORD OF GENUINE CONCERN** on your behalf.

PLEASE JOIN US IN VOTING FOR CHARLES E. GILB ON
APRIL 10, 1984.

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Voters will decide winners of council races on Tuesday

By HELEN O. SCHRADER
Editor

With the municipal election coming on Tuesday, time is running out for the eight candidates for Arcadia City Council.

In what has been one of the most intensive campaigns in recent years they must all have almost drowned in coffee. They have long since lost any stage fright they might have had as they made numerous public appearances.

Their names, as they appear on the ballot, are Robert C. Harbicht, Johanna A.M. Hofer, Joseph Scurto III, Charles E. Gilb, Charles Chivetta Sr., Joana R. Bruno, Mary Young and Craig Lucas.

City Clerk Christine Van Maanen is running unopposed for re-election.

Consensus in the community is that Gilb will easily win one of the two seats being vacated by Councilmen Jeff Dring and Dick Haltom.

After that, all bets are off. The other seat could easily be grabbed off by Harbicht, Ms. Bruno, Mrs. Young or Lucas. They have all fought valiantly and have many supporters.

Perennial candidates Johanna Hofer and Chivetta have worked hard, as has 22-year-old Scurto, but they have only an outside chance of an upset.

Both Gilb and Harbicht stress

their previous experience as councilmen and mayors, Gilb in Arcadia and Harbicht in Duarte. Gilb is a long-time resident of Arcadia; Harbicht moved here 10 years ago.

Ms. Bruno stresses her business experience and the fact that she received a White House appointment to the Small Business Administration's District Advisory Council.

Both Mrs. Young and Lucas have made a point of their volunteer involvement in Arcadia through the years.

There really are no major issues although all the candidates have taken stands on redevelopment, a proposed Target Department Store in the redevelopment area, an auditorium and increased library services.

Also on the ballot is a proposed city charter amendment, Proposition A, providing for a run-off election in cases where a candidate or candidates do not get a majority of the votes cast.

To accommodate the run-off, the charter would be amended to provide that the term of a council member would begin on the first regular council meeting following the date scheduled for the run-off election.

The council by ordinance would establish appropriate dates for the initial election and the subsequent run-off election. If approved, the change would

take place in 1986.

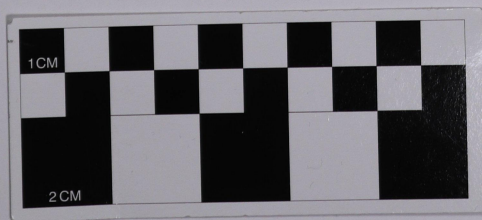
Polls in the 25 consolidated precincts will be open from 7 a.m. until 8 p.m. Each person's polling place is listed on the back of the sample ballot. Anyone with questions may call the city clerk's office at 446-4471.

There are 27,915 registered voters in Arcadia. Mrs. Van Maanen estimates a healthy turnout of 35 to 38 percent of the voters in view of what she calls "a formidable list of candidates and the charter amendment."

Ballots will be counted at City Hall as usual, but the exact place is in doubt. Usually the process takes place in the council chambers, but the Planning Commission, which has a heavy agenda of public hearings, is meeting there Tuesday night.

Mrs. Van Maanen said one possibility would be that the counting would be done in her office, with a blackboard for results in the lobby outside. Another possibility would be to bring the results to the conference room adjacent to the council chambers.

The problem in either case, Mrs. Van Maanen says, is that seating will be extremely limited. The switchboard at City Hall will be open until all the results are in and she urges persons who are interested in the outcome to telephone rather than come in.



CITIZENS TO ELECT
CHARLES E. GILB
TO THE
ARCADIA CITY COUNCIL

March 23, 1984

Dear Comrade:

We are asking for your support in electing Charles Gilb to the Arcadia City Council. Charles has been a member of the American Legion Post #247 for more than twenty years, having served with honor in the United States Marine Corps.

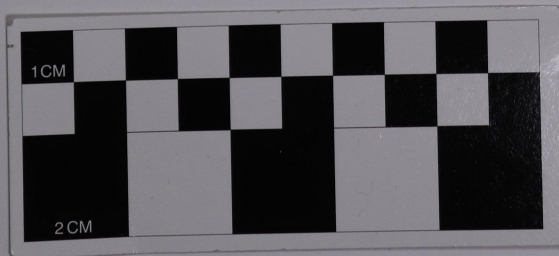
Charlie has been an active citizen in Arcadia for many years having served in many capacities including two terms as a member of the Arcadia City Council from 1972 to 1980.

We urge you to support him on election day, April 10th.

Regards,

Richard Mauch
Past Commander
Joseph J. Pagone
Past Building Pres.
Bill Sinauskas
Past Commander
Ed Hewner
Past Commander

Ed Heuford Jr.
Past Commander



MR. WALDO HEUCK
1016 Ninth Avenue
Arcadia, California 91006

March 23, 1984

Dear Booster Club Member:

We would like to encourage you to vote in the Arcadia City Council election to be held on April 10, 1984.

We would also like to express our belief that Candidate **Charles E. Gilb** is an outstanding choice to represent us as a city official; to develop policies and practices that will make Arcadia a thriving community in our fast-changing world during the next four years.

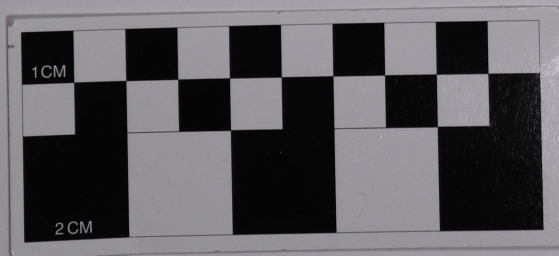
During a long and illustrious career in Arcadia, **Charles E. Gilb** has demonstrated that he really cares about this wonderful city of ours. He has always had a keen interest in our total athletic program and has supported the Boosters Club in every way possible. In addition to his generous financial contributions, he is an enthusiastic friend of the entire school district, is serving his second term as president of the Arcadia Educational Foundation, continues to serve as chairman of the Arcadia Auditorium Foundation and has twice served as mayor of the city of Arcadia.

Certainly few individuals have done more for a total community than has **Charles E. Gilb**. We urge you to cast your vote for him on April 10.

Sincerely,

W. Heuck
Larry Pepay
Jack H. Hays
Bill May
Tom Felling
Bob Smith
Gino Roncelli

Walter Heuck
Robert A. Moitz
Jon D. Hays
Calaine Larkin
Judy Hays
Daniel D. Hays





March 15, 1984

To: Horsemen and Employees at Santa Anita

On Tuesday, April 10, 1984 voters of Arcadia will elect two candidates to the Arcadia City Council.

We believe that CHARLES E. GILB is an outstanding choice to represent us again on the City Council.

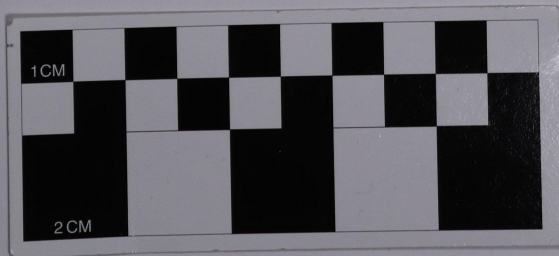
Charlie served two terms as Mayor and Councilman from 1974 to 1982. He is a true friend of racing; he loves it and supports it in many ways. You see him regularly at Clocker's Corner in the mornings. He is a successful businessman who shows an appreciation for the contribution of Thoroughbred racing to the City of Arcadia.

Encourage your friends and neighbors to vote for Charles E. Gilb on Tuesday, April 10.

Sincerely,

<u>Donald Williams</u>	<u>Thomas Lee</u>
<u>By S. Barrera</u>	<u>Warren Stute</u>
<u>Bruce Deader</u>	<u>Wayne Lukas</u>
<u>Steve Allen</u>	<u>George R. Haines</u>

P.S. If you plan to be out of town on election day, please obtain an absentee ballot by contacting the City Clerk, 446-4471, by April 3. The ballot must be back in her hands by April 10.



ELB

1145 SINGING WOOD DRIVE • ARCADIA, CALIFORNIA 91006

March
25th
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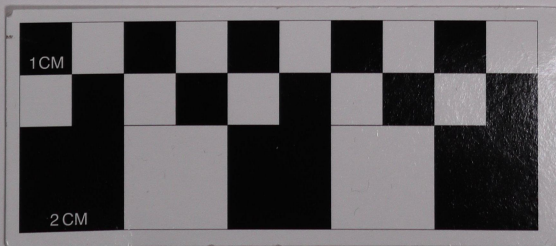
Dear Upper Rancho Neighbor:

Many of us in the Upper Rancho think it important for you to know that Charles E. Gilb, of 940 Singing Wood Drive, is a candidate for re-election to the City Council on April 10th. Charles is a fine family man, with a lovely wife and three great children. He has done more for our area and for the City than anyone else. If there was an important project in our City that had to be undertaken -- such as help for the Schools, or the Boy Scouts, or the Library -- it was always Charles Gilb that was called upon to head the project. Charles was the City of Hope's "Man of the Year", and "Citizen of the Year" in Arcadia in 1977. He has served two terms on the Council, and was Mayor twice. Never has anyone been more qualified as a candidate for election to the Council.

We think it important that this area join to elect Charles Gilb to the City Council. He deserves our support on April 10th.

Sincerely,

Edward L. Butterworth
Shirley T. Butterworth
Edward and Shirley Butterworth



JAMES J. FLINN
1112 San Carlos Road
Arcadia, California 91006

April 4, 1984

Dear Neighbor,

On April 10, 1984, the City of Arcadia will have an election for City Council. As residents and taxpayers of this fine community, we have an opportunity to go to the polls and vote for candidates who deserve support. In this regard I ask you to consider the candidacy of CHARLES E. GILB, in the upcoming election.

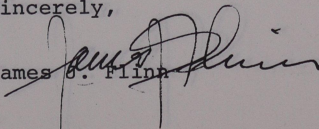
His service to our community over the 8 years he served has demonstrated his distinctive capabilities and outstanding leadership qualities. Total commitment to the task at hand characterizes all that he does; whether it is related to local governance or participation in volunteer organizations.

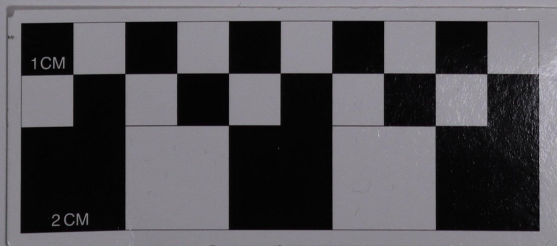
Charles is a strong and effective spokesman for independent local government and will do all within his power to see that our city functions efficiently and economically in its service to citizens. His desire to retain the residential character of Arcadia is clearly evidenced in his official decisions.

Charles was instrumental in forming The Oaks Association. He was President of the Rancho Santa Anita Property Owners Association, when we here faced with commercial development plans on Baldwin and Foothill Avenues. By organizing our two areas together we were able to defeat the issue.

Based upon his qualifications and record as a thoughtful, responsible and resourceful member of Arcadia City Council, I urge you to join me at the polls next Tuesday, April 10, to elect CHARLES E. GILB.

Sincerely,

James J. Flinn 



CITIZENS TO ELECT
CHARLES E. GILB
TO THE
ARCADIA CITY COUNCIL

Campaign Chairman:

JACK SÆLID

Executive Secretary:

JEWELL HIGH

Finance Chairman/Treasurer:

LEO BABICH

Appearance Co-Chairpersons:

JUNE FEE

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RITA CLOSSEN

CELIA KALM

MONTE LINDSEY

Precinct Chairman:

LARRY PAPAY

Assistant Chairman:

KIM ZECHER

Precinct Analysis and Master Calendar:

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GINA PELLEGRINO

Contemporaries for Gilb:

MICHELE AMATO

RON KEDDIE

Senior Citizens:

CHUCK BATTERSON

MARY JOSEPH

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AMATO

ERHARDT

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WILFRED J. SCHMITT

CAROL G. LIBBY

IA K. BERMINGHAM

AD T. REIBOLD

HANDALL STOKES

LAWRENCE T. PAPAY

EDWARD L. BUTTERWORTH

LORRAINE FRICKE

TO ALL PRECINCT CAPTAINS:

SATURDAY - 9 AM - MARCH 31, 1984 - is the day to walk precincts.

WE MEET - 9 AM - COUNTY PARK - ARCADIA - directly across from the Assistance League Building, which is at 100 South Santa Anita.

You will see a fire engine parked there --- we will have coffee and doughnuts (organized by Jim & Kathy Kennedy)

Please have your workers come and pick up their work-packets, which contain

1. INSTRUCTION SHEET
2. BROCHURES
3. ABSENTEE BALLOT APPLICATION
4. BUMPER STICKERS
5. CAMPAIGN BUTTONS, ETC.

If your workers cannot make it --- please pick up the kits for them.

We realize that some people work on Saturday and the precinct will have to be covered on Sunday and Monday. In any event, please be responsible for your precinct.

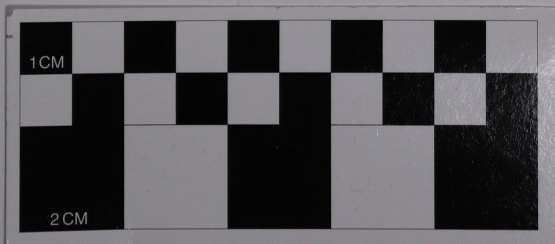
WE ARE COUNTING ON YOU
THE SUCCESS OF THE ELECTION DEPENDS ON YOU

Lawrence Papay
Precinct Chairman

See ya on Saturday morning - 9 AM
If you have any questions, call

Lawrence Papay	355-8595 - Residence
	572-1474 - Office
Jack Saelid	447-4918 - Residence
	303-6603 - Office

C/O: Jewell A. High, Executive Secretary
1167 West Duarte Road #8, Arcadia, CA 91006



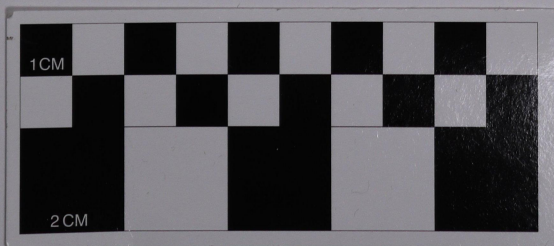
CITIZENS TO ELECT CHARLES E. GILB CAMPAIGN

PRECINCT CAPTAINS

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| 1. Mrs. Shirley Young
1520 North Santa Anita Avenue | *28. <u>Mr. Jim Turner</u>
108 West Magna Vista |
| 3. Mr. Richard DesJardins, Jr.
1845 N. Santa Anita Avenue | 29. John and Dorothy Moe
348 Sharon Road |
| 5. Mrs. Glenys Welch
930 Singing Wood Dr. | *33. Mrs. Barbara Mazzaresse
245 West Norman Avenue |
| 6. Mrs. Mary Soldate
276 Hacienda | *33. Mrs. Charlotte Davenport
225 West Norman Avenue |
| 10. Mr. Benny Joseph
1038 Oakdale Lane | 37. Ernest and Mary Beth Fuerst
2723 Holly Avenue |
| *12. Mr. Roland Mitchell
311 San Luis Rey | 38. Mr. Ira Traweek
2505 S. Santa Anita Avenue |
| *12. Mrs. Edith Casey
300 Santa Rosa Road | 42. Mrs. Ruth Shannon
14 El Dorado #14 |
| 14. Mr. Ted Shonfeld
530 Altura Road | 45. Mr. Richard Erhardt
1100 Greenfield |
| *17. Mr. Troy Steckenrider
834 Balboa Drive | 48. Dale Spickler
414 East Duarte Road |
| *17. Mr. Robert Cheney
851 Coronado | 52. Dr. Pete May
269 West Wistaria |
| 18. Jack and Sue Renner
625 South First Avenue | 53. Mr. Art Trigonis
1400 S. Third Avenue |
| *22. Mrs. Esther Barnes
1200 W. Huntington Dr. #6 | 55. Mrs. Judy Hoyt
609 Beverly Drive |
| *22. Ms. Sylvia Stefek
1200 W. Huntington Dr. #33 | 58. Mr. Rick Whipple
2334 South Third Avenue |
| 24. Mrs. Kathy Kennedy
800 West Huntington Dr. | 86. Mr. Paul Pappas
2301 S. Baldwin Avenue |
| ✓ 26. Mr. Chuck Batterson
415 W. Duarte Road #6 | |
| ✓ *28. Mrs. Gloria Horstman
116 West La Sierra | |

* Two numbers identical means
that precinct is being co-
chaired.

PRECINCT CHAIRMAN
✓ Mr. Lawrence Papay
1415 Caballero Road
Arcadia, CA 91006
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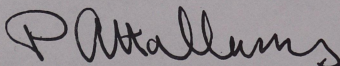
April 2, 1984

I write you in support of Charlie Gilb's nomination for the City Council of Arcadia. His integrity, honesty, and dynamic personality are very well known to all of us for many years.

I was angered by the recent news media insinuations regarding his character. I was privileged to work with him on the Board of Directors of the Boy Scouts of America - San Gabriel Council for many years. His leadership, dynamic personality, and his generous contribution motivated all of us to achieve many successful goals.

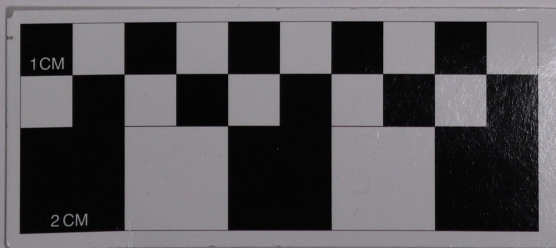
The Arcadia City Council needs somebody like Charlie, and we cannot allow news media to shake our feeling of faith in him. I urge you to vote for him.

Yours truly,



P. Attalla, M.D.

P.S. I hope you will do as I have done. Send a personal letter to your friends who live in Arcadia in support of Charlie Gilb.



MORE ABOUT CHARLIE

Dear Neighbor:

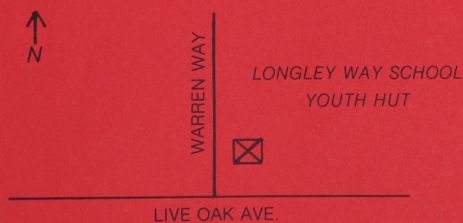
Wouldn't it be great if each of us could do all the things for our community that we would like to do?

It takes so much extra time and energy not to mention money and dedication which few of us have to spare.

One important way that we can help is to vote! By casting our ballot we give those elected to represent us on the city council our moral support. The council members then make important decisions affecting all of us in Arcadia.

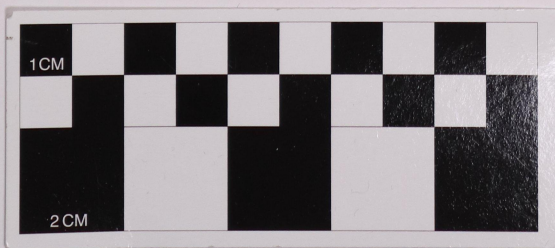
Charlie Gilb makes decisions as a community leader and also by listening with care and conser to those of us who seek his help.

Tuesday, April 10th is the date. The Longley Way Youth Hut is the place from 7:00 am to 8:00 pm.



*We the citizens to
elect Charles E. Gilb
--- Care. We believe
you do too and that is
why we're asking for
your help.
Thank You,*

Ira Traweek



CITY OF LOS ANGELES



RESOLUTION

CHARLES E. GILB

WHEREAS, Charles E. Gilb has been an exemplary Southern Californian, responsible for an impressive array of civic and professional accomplishments; and

WHEREAS, Charles was born in Cincinnati, and was raised in Twin Falls, Idaho; and

WHEREAS, Charles earned his Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Idaho; and

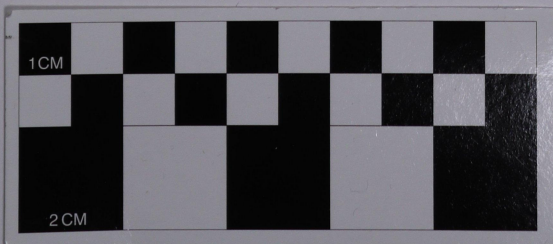
WHEREAS, Charles served his Great Nation with valour as a Staff Sergeant with the United States Marine Corps during World War II; and

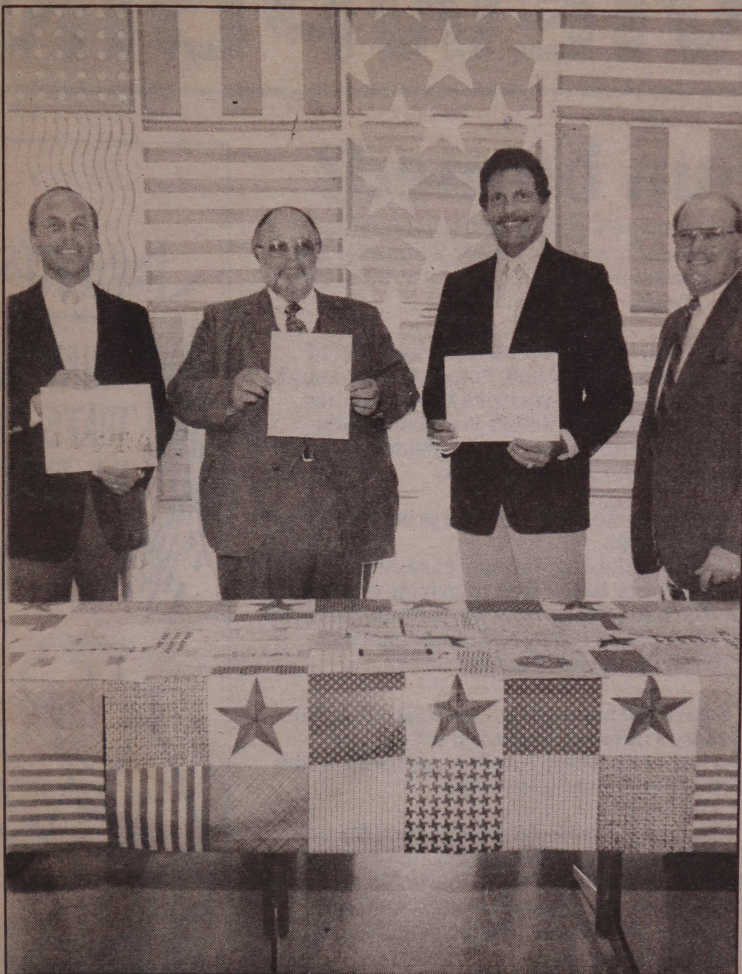
WHEREAS, Charles has been a resident of Arcadia for the last twenty-four years, a time of productivity shared proudly and blissfully with his delightful wife Ruth and their three children, Denice, Michael and Valerie; and

WHEREAS, Charles has met all challenges with dedication, compassion and creativity, and has been a shining beacon of virtue for his many friends and peers; and

WHEREAS, Charles has a tremendous record of civic service, having been an Arcadia City Councilman from 1974 to 1982 and from 1984 through the present, the Mayor of that City in 1975 and 1981, the Vice-President of the National Municipal League, the President of the Independent Cities Association Board in 1980 and a member for eight years, Chairman of the Arcadia Personnel Board in 1973 and a member for four years, President of the L.A. Division of the League of California Cities in 1980 and a member for eight years, Chairman of the L.A. County City Selection Committee (Council of Mayors) for six years, a member of the Los Angeles Economic Development Board and Chairman of the L.A. County Fire Commission; and

WHEREAS, Charles has always been generous with time and energy through his extensive efforts in community-involved activities, having been a member of the Arcadia Tournament of Roses Board for six years and its President in 1976, a member of the Rancho Santa Anita Property Owners Board and its President in 1972, a member of the San Gabriel Valley Council, Boy Scouts of America Board for eleven years and its S.M.E. Chairman in 1976 and Vice-President in 1978, Chairman of the Arcadia Educational Foundation and of the Arcadia Auditorium Foundation, a member of the St. Luke's Hospital Foundation Board, and a participant with other community organizations such as the Coast Little League, the Methodist Hospital Associates, the Navy League, the BPOE 2025,





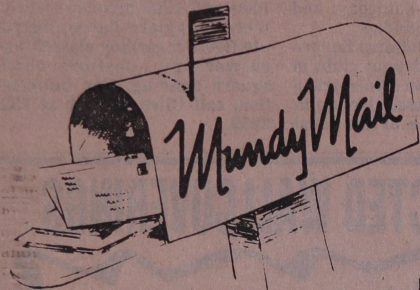
Staff photo by Vincent Hachiya

Comic relief

Pictured holding the winners of JC Penney Comic Relief Cartoon Contest are Arcadia Unified School District Superintendent Stephen Goldstone, Arcadia Council member Charles Gilb, Joe Ciraulo and Arcadia JC Penney store manager Jack Ures. Jenna Kaiser, 11, of Holy Angels School in Arcadia won a \$75 JC Penney gift certificate and a paid position in the Hands Across America line slated for May 25 for her second place finish in the contest.

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By CATHERINE MUNDY

POPULAR — A favorite local attraction is the weekend breakfast at the Clocker's Corner during Santa Anita Race Track's early morning workouts. When the Oak Tree Meet begins in October, the first Saturday will find one "regular club" meeting at its regular table. Charlie Gilb holds court for his Breakfast Club which includes several regulars wearing Scottish bonnets provided by Scribe Jim Merritt. Santa Anita's Ray Rogers and Elb Souders are usually there, as is Oak Tree's Herman Smith.

For their final breakfast at Santa Anita last April Dorothy Rogers joined the group along with "members" Randy and Marilyn Stoke, Dean and Gloria Horstman, Dave Hannah, Sal Guerro, and Santa Anita's Steve Allen and Donna Peterson with husband Mickey. Elb Souders was conspicuous by his absence. They had tablecloths, candelabra, a wild centerpiece and a photographer at that festive finals. Other groups are sure to follow.

Also seen last weekend were Betty Rochefort with friends and Dick and Rita Closson. It is getting to be another big social event in Arcadia.

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BOOK REVIEWS — Gloria Horstman speaks on "Tea" to the Arcadians at their September meeting and then resumes her book review programs in the area. These include Lecture Series of the Assistance League of Arcadia, the Assistance League of Pasadena, the Upper Rancho Book Club, and the Arcadia Woman's Club. Later in the season, in addition to a few P.E.O. groups, book review programs will be given for the Upper Hastings Group, La Canada Thursday Club and Visually Handicapped benefit. These are in addition to the book reviews appearing in the Pasadena Star News.

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THE MEMORY LINGERS ON — When Ruth Gilb closed the door on "Ruth's Collection," a popular dress shop in Arcadia, there was a gasp of dismay from fashion conscious women of the area. Ruth's classic, conservative fashions had a great appeal, and the shop was a delightful spot to choose one's clothes, especially as Ruth always gave personal attention to her patrons. When she opened the shop in October of '71, it was an answer to a dream. Since high school days she was always interested in fashions and hoped some day to have her own shop.

Ruth was very active in community affairs during these years. She was president of the Tournament of Roses, was selected as Citizen of the Year, and served as chairwoman of the Sister City Commission. She was a member of HOY (Help Our Youth) and was instrumental in producing

the successful HOY Follies benefit.

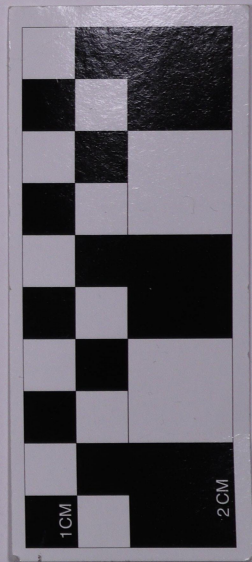
She is presently on the board of Arcadia Historical Society and Methodist Hospital Foundation Board. She is project chairwoman of the Arcadia Altrusa Club and has chosen Haven House for abused women and children as the club's project for the year. She was appointed by the supervisors to be on the commission for McLaren Hall.

It would be impossible to find a husband and wife team more interested in community affairs than Ruth and her husband, Charles. He has served as mayor for two terms and is presently on the council. The Gilbs entertain a great deal in their beautiful home, and, despite their busy lives, they find time for travel.

They were married after their graduation from the University of Montana. Charles served with the Marines in World War II and is now in the produce business.

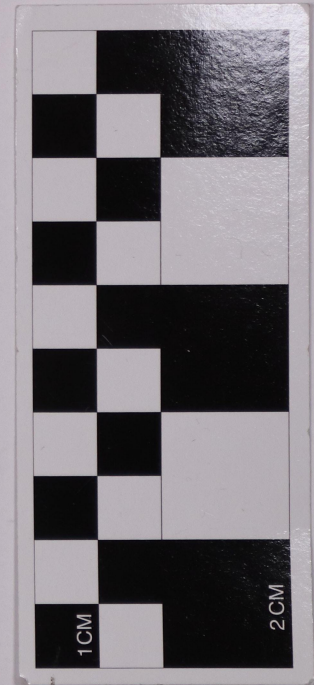
Ruth's parents were born in Portugal and her father, Joseph Valadon, came to this country when he was 11 years old, and he came alone.

He went to Fresno where there was a colony of Portuguese farmers and dairymen, and then he traveled on to Montana and the mountains where he raised sheep until he retired.



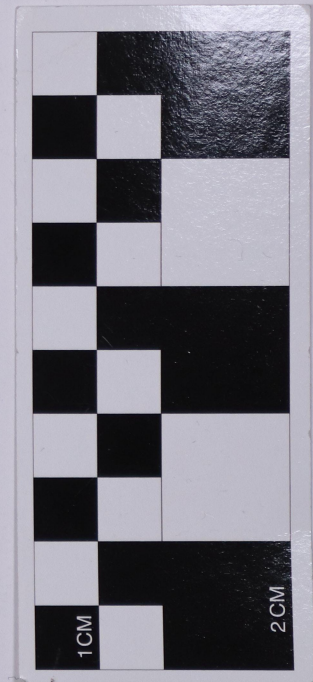


Partygoers — Ruth Gilb, left, and Camilla Lynch, both of Arcadia and members of the Social Service Auxiliary, were celebrants recently at the "Moonlight Serenade" party at the Bel Aire Country Club. The dinner dance featured music from the Big Band era, a prime Rib dinner and drawings for cash prizes.





Valerie, left, Ruth and Charles Gilb, Arcadia City Council member, check entries for first race on Wednesday's opening day of the Oak Tree Meet at Santa Anita.



Gilb selected as new Arcadia mayor

Young steps down; Harbicht becomes mayor pro tem

By BRAD HAUGAARD
Staff Writer

Charles Gilb is now mayor of Arcadia, and Robert Harbicht the new mayor pro tem.

At its reorganization meeting Tuesday night, Mary Young stepped down as mayor and by unanimous vote, Gilb was selected mayor and Harbicht mayor pro tem.

Gilb said of Young that "No one in the city can say that Mary Young hasn't done a good job."

He said she showed up at every publicity event in and out

of the city.

She was also given special presentations by the council, by a representative of State Senator Newton Russell, a representative of Congressman Carlos Moorhead, Assemblyman Richard Mountjoy, Supervisor Pete Schabarum and the Arcadia Chamber of Commerce.

Young said that while she appreciated the plaques, she would have done the same job without them.

She said that during her term the city has seen many ground-

breakings, some grand openings and many sites under construction. Soon, she said, Arcadia will have a new look, "and the trees will return to Baldwin Avenue" (where they've been torn out in front of the Hub Shopping Center at Duarte Road and Baldwin).

On taking his chair, Gilb commended the city staff and commented that the downtown development is obvious. He said he can "hardly believe it was 12 years ago" the city began redevelopment.

The city, he said, may not motivate the city "will attract some fine businesses you'll be proud of."

"I'll do the best job I can this next year," he said.

Harbicht also commended Young, and said it shouldn't be very long before the city sees new buildings rising on the south side of Huntington Drive in East Arcadia.

"The whole entry to the city will be something we can be proud of," he said.



ARCADIA SWEEP — In the winners' circle at Santa Anita following the running of the Arcadia Handicap are Juanita Delahoussaye, Mandy Dellahoussaye, winning jockey Eddy Delahoussaye aboard Mohamed Abdu, Mayor Charles Gilb and winning trainer Dick Mulhall. All are Arcadia residents. For Mulhall it was a repeat trip to the winners' circle. He'd been there the day before with his winning horse What a Diplomat in the San Rafael Stakes.

Arcadia picks Gilb

For the Star-News

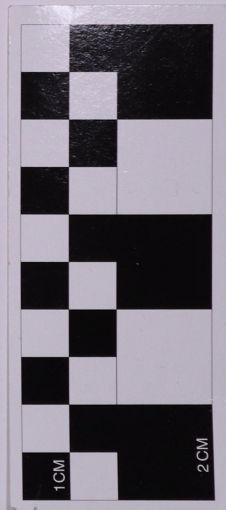
Arcadia City Council has named Charles Gilb mayor in its reorganization meeting. Gilb replaces Mayor Mary Young.

Councilman Robert Harbicht was voted mayor pro tem at the Tuesday night meeting.

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CHARLES GILB
... replaces Mary Young





Staff photo / John W. Emmons

Mayor Charles Gilb, right, T of R President Monty Lindsey hold proclamation.

'Tournament' month proclaimed

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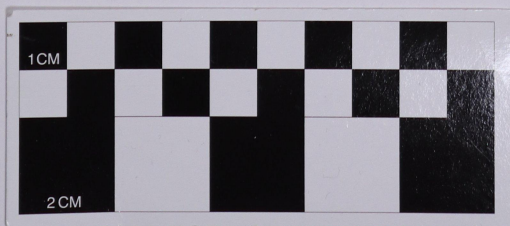
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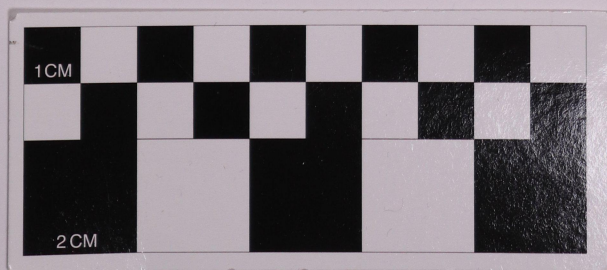
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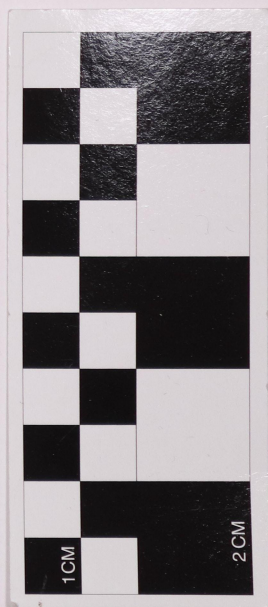


Grand opening

Jeannie's Cafe, 627 W. Duarte Road, celebrated its grand opening with a ribbon cutting ceremony. Taking part are (from left) Arcadia Princess Dynese Schifflia, Princess Robin Henkels,

Mayor Charles Gilb, Owner John Hagen, Owner Jeannie Hagen, Chamber President Stan Cruz, Princess Debbi DeLong and Princess Susan Keh.

Staff photo by Randa Cardwell





Newcastle Sister City Committee

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Telephone 26 2333

5th June, 1987.

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CITY OF ARCADIA
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MAYOR

Dear Charles,

I was indeed very pleased to receive your letter of the 19th May, 1987 and to know that the Friendship Club of the City of Arcadia, is planning a trip to Australia in January, 1988, in conjunction with our Bicentennial year.

It will be great to meet with you and Ruth again and the people in your Group and you can look forward to having a great time during your stay in Newcastle.

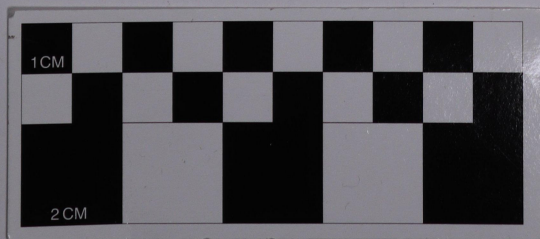
I reach the retiring age from the Council on the 10th January, 1988, so will more or less a free lance and will not be tied down with my Council duties although I am hoping to carry on with some of the organisations I am associated with like the Sister City Committee.

I will be looking forward to receiving further advice from you as your plans for the visit unfold.

With kind regards and best wishes for the future.

Yours faithfully,

Bob Trowbridge
BOB TROWBRIDGE,
SECRETARY-TREASURER.



Arcadia: a glimpse at the city

Who are the city's movers and shakers

Arcadia is a general law, full service city which was incorporated on Aug. 13, 1903.

City Hall, 240 W. Huntington Dr., is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. five days a week. The phone number is (818) 574-5400.

Mayor Charles Gilb heads a five-member City Council which also includes Robert Harbicht, Roger Chandler, Dennis Lojeski, and Mary Young. Meetings are held on the first and third Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at council chambers at City Hall.

City officials include George Watts, city manager; Christine Van Maanen, city clerk; Michael Miller, city attorney; Chester Howard, public works director; Gerald Shuster, finance director; Eldon Davidson, water manager; William Woolard, planning director; and Peter Kinnahan, economic development.

Planning Commission members include Emil Amato, Thomas Clark, Harold Hedlund, Larry Papay, and David Szany. They meet on the second and fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in council chambers.

Personnel Board members are



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Arcadia's top man: Mayor Charles Gilb stands in front of Arcadia City Hall at 240 W. Huntington Drive. His city can point to the Santa Anita Race Track and Arboretum as major attractions for residents and others.

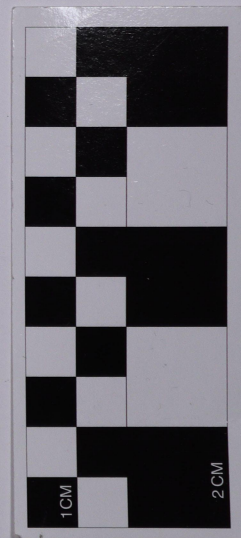
Richard Erhardt, Robert Hillman, Celia Kalm, Wilfred Knight, and Ted Sten. They meet on the second Thursday each month at 5:30 p.m. in the conference room at City Hall.

Library Board members are Marilyn Daleo, Paul G. Johenk, William Knight, Sherry Root and Doris Selmer. They meet on the third Thursday each month in the library conference room at 6 p.m.

Recreation Commission members are John Garton, Walter Heuck,

Stephen Lojeski, Sue Nevin, David Powell, John Pawley, and John Sinclair. They meet on the second Wednesday each month at 7:30 p.m. in the council chamber conference room.

Senior Citizen Commission members are Dale Allen, Phillip Attalla, Esther Barnes, William Pillon, Henrietta Loueffler, Robert Miles, and Jean Puckett. They meet on the first Thursday of the month at 4 p.m. in the council chamber conference room.



Arcadia columnist, editor, Catherine Mundy dies

Star-News Staff

A memorial service will be held Thursday for Catherine Mundy, who is well known for her column, "Mundy Mail," in the Arcadia Tribune. Her final column appears today. She died in her sleep Sunday at the San Marino home of her daughter, Mary Cooper.

Services will be at 3 p.m. at the San Marino Community Church, 1750 Virginia Road.

A social columnist and editor in Arcadia for more than four decades, she often is credited with being the most influential person in molding the social side of the community.

Arcadia Citizen of the Year in 1983 and recipient of numerous other civic and professional awards, she was an honorary member of the Assistance League of Arcadia, Las Alas Auxiliary of the Assistance League, the Arcadianns and the Alpha Auxiliary of the Visiting Nurse Association of Pasadena and San Gabriel Valley.

Born in Colorado, she and her



CATHERINE MUNDY
...was 'Citizen of Year'

late husband, Samuel, and young son moved to Arcadia in the 1930s, where her daughter was born.

She joined the staff of the Arcadia Tribune April 1, 1941, to write a column called "Looking Westward with Catherine," a collection of human interest items sparked with bits of philosophy and comments on life in Arcadia.

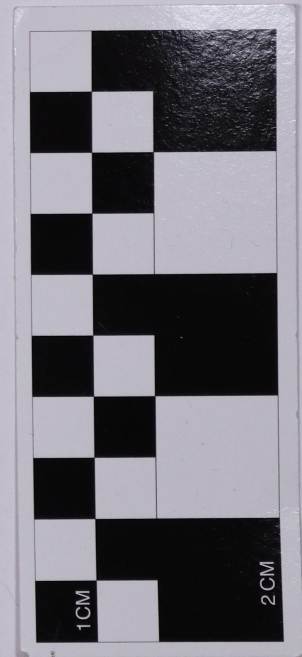
Her career was more than a

job to her; it was a fulfillment of her commitment to the community and its residents. Friends and acquaintances lauded her for her dedication to others, saying that she was never too busy to listen to those who needed to unburden themselves nor to give spark to the germ of an idea.

Friends said she had an irrepressible sense of humor, which she attributed to her Irish ancestry. Being with people as much as possible, either in person or by phone — led her to participate in nearly every benefit, fund raiser and civic function for the benefit of the community.

She is survived by her son, Paul, who was a former Arcadia school principal, and her daughter and son-in-law, Richard Cooper, as well as seven grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

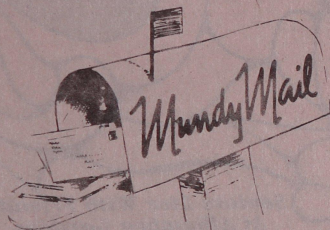
The Catherine R. Mundy Memorial Library Fund has been established at the Arcadia Public Library.



People

Sheila Thompson, Editor

B-1—FOOTHILL INTER-CITY NEWSPAPERS, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1987—A



Catherine Mundy faithfully sent in her last column this past week, and was working on one for next week when she died, peacefully, over the weekend.

By CATHERINE MUNDY

JOYOUS CELEBRATION — On Saturday, Oct. 24, Holy Angels Church was the scene of a 12:30 p.m. Mass at which Mary and John Helin renewed their wedding vows and celebrated 25 years of marriage in the presence of family and close friends.

The mass was celebrated by Mary's uncle, Monsignor Francis Osborne, retired pastor of Our Lady of Grace Church in Encino, who married them 25 years ago in the same church. Monsignor Osborne also married son John Helin, Jr., having baptized him as an infant.

It was a joyous and sentimental occasion, and the entire idea was conceived by Mary and John's children John, Jr., David and Peggy. John's wife, Gerriann, helped with the organization and the details. John, Jr. and Gerriann live in Riverside and David and Peggy live at home with their parents.

Wedding attendants from the original wedding were present. Mary's sister, Donna Indergand of Arcadia, was maid of honor and attended with her daughter, Deanna. Ginger Marfice came from Anaheim with her husband, Dennis.

John's two brothers, also in the original wedding, Joseph Heslin and his wife, Judy, of Santa Barbara, and Jim Heslin of Altadena, were there. Chris Osborne of Arcadia, Mary's brother, enjoys photography as an avocation and served official photographer for the occasion.

Mary's parents, Don and Verna Osborne, attended the mass and later hosted the reception in their Arcadia home. Mary, an oncology nurse, invited close friends and fellow nurses from Station #43 at Huntington Memorial Hospital in Pasadena.

The center aisle of the church was decorated with ribbons, and Mary wore the street-length pink lace dress she had worn at her son's wedding as she walked down the aisle on the arm of her husband, John, who was wearing a dark suit. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations and white daisies.

A delicious buffet luncheon was served at the reception following the ceremony. The color scheme of the original wedding, pink

and white, was carried out in tablecloths, flowers and favors. The wedding cake, white with fresh strawberries, was decorated with pink flowers.

A very special hand-made album was presented to the happy couple. The cover, decorated with white lace, with silver thread running through it, featured intertwining rings. The interior was divided into two sections, first wedding, family and ceremonies and the reception of the rededication of vows.

The first section contained pictures of a young and unmarried Mary and John. They met at a fraternity mixer at Loyola University, John's alma mater. Mary is a graduate of St. Vincent's College of Nursing in Los Angeles. There were pictures of the first wedding, children's pictures and pictures of special events in the lives of the family. Daughter Peggy spent many hours going through boxes of family pictures.

Completing the surprise of the day, the three children presented their parents with a three-day luxury vacation in San Diego. Son John, Jr. gave a toast to his parents, as did brother Joe. Mary surprised everyone by responding, expressing appreciation for the entire celebration and gratitude for such wonderful children.

What a wonderful tribute to two loving parents — and living testimony to the strength of the family. Congratulations, Mary and John!

INSTALLATION — The installation of officers of the Alpha Auxiliary of the Visiting

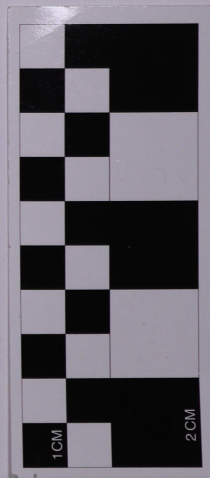
Nurse Association of Pasadena and the San Gabriel Valley was held Thursday, Oct. 29, at the Singingwood Drive home of Shirley and Ed Butterworth (Ed is a former mayor of Arcadia). The clever installation ceremony was followed by a champagne reception.

Outgoing president Jean Hoard served as co-hostess and made arrangements for a delightful afternoon. Jean Cope, a former president, served as installing officer. Chez Sateau provided the delicious food that accompanied the champagne.

Mrs. Hoard was thanked for her year's leadership of this outstanding group and presented with a floral bouquet. She was also given the historian's record of the year, a book prepared by Floretta Lauber, outgoing historian and charter president. Floretta invited Patsy Harbicht, wife of the mayor pro-tem, as her guest for the event.

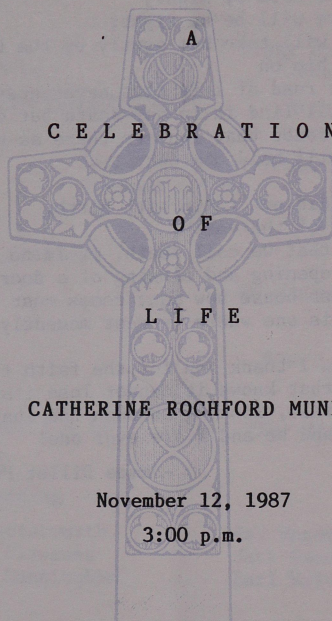
Newly elected officers for the coming year include, Eloise Ward, president; Nancy Hannah, first vice president; Judie Draper, second vice president; Dorothy Cunningham, third vice president; Karen Benvenuto, treasurer; Jane Shepherd, recording secretary, and Carol Libby, corresponding secretary.

BIRTHDAYS — Members of the Santa Anita Athletic Club toasted the November birthdays with champagne at a festive luncheon at the home of Hazel Morris. The lucky honorees were Lynette Cramer, Helen Kinnison and Elizabeth Roberts.



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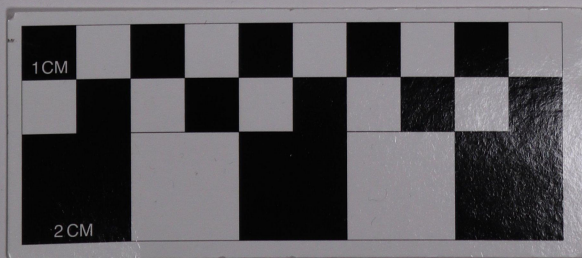


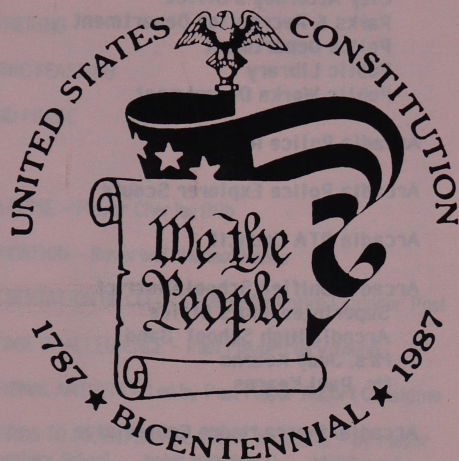
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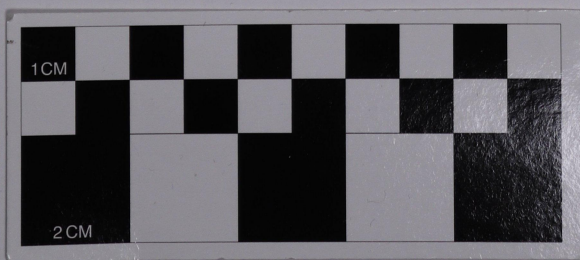
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September 17, 1987





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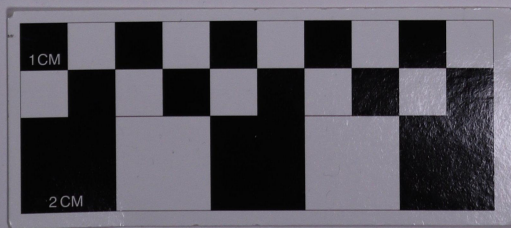
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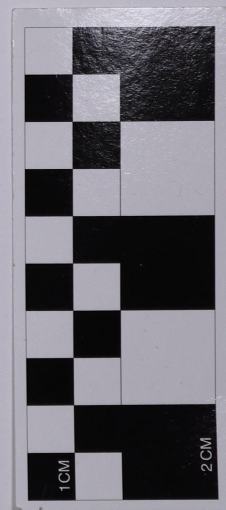
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Photo / Courtesy Santa Anita

Who's minding the store?/ — Arcadia City Council and department heads took a day off from city business and enjoyed one of the city's pleasures, Santa Anita Park. They were guests of honor at a buffet luncheon in the Directors Room in the private Turf Club. Hosts were Ray Rogers, executive vice president, and Clifford C. Goodrich, vice president and general manager, and his wife, Karen. Seen

ready to choose from the buffet are Rogers, left; Patsy Harbicht and Mayor Pro Tem Robert C. Harbicht; Ruth Gilb and her husband, Mayor Charles Gilb. Also attending were the Robert Chandlers, Stanley Kruses, Neal Johnsons, Dennis Lojeskis, George Watts, Will Woolards and Elbert Souders, with Mike Miller, Richard Young and Council member Mary Young.





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Grand opening

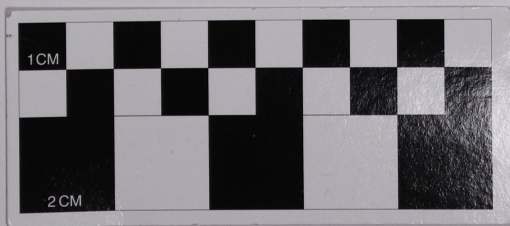
Arcadia officials participated in the grand opening ceremonies last week for the new Arcadia Citicenter office building at 55 E. Huntington Drive. The three-story building was a project involving the city's Redevelopment Agency and developer WLA Arcon, Inc. of Huntington Beach. Pictured from left (bottom) are Councilman Roger Chandler, Councilwoman Mary Young, Mayor Charles Gilb, Evelyn Schaefer, widow of the late Mark J. Schaefer, an accountant who organized the financial entity which provided investment capital for the project; Stanley M. Cruse, Arcadia Chamber of Commerce president; James Schaefer, president of Mark Schaefer Associates; (top) Councilman Dennis Lojeski, Warren H. Lortie, project architect; and City Manager George Watts.

Four qualify to run for council seats

By Jon Morris
Staff Writer

Four persons, including Arcadia Mayor Charles Gilb and Councilwoman Mary Young, have officially qualified to run for two open City Council seats in the April 12 election.

Those who filed nomination papers in time to meet the Feb. 4 deadline were Johanna A.M. Hofer, Charles Chivetta, Gilb and Young. Hofer described herself as a concerned citizen/environmentalist. Chivetta is an urban planning consultant.



Annual prayer breakfast

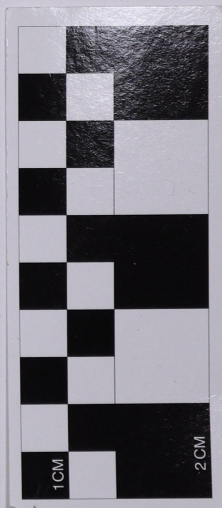


Photo / Larry Goren

Merlin Olsen, former pro football player and star of the current NBC television series 'Aaron's Way,' was the guest speaker at the annual Mayor's

Prayer Breakfast held April 1 at the Arboretum. Arcadia Mayor Charles Gilb provided the welcome and special music was presented by Stuart Hen-

derson and Carol Jo Parry. Prayers were given by Rev. Robert Walsh of Holy Angels Church and Dr. Margaret Stevens of Santa Anita Church.



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Gilb, Young file for one more term on local City Council

The two incumbents up for re-election are the only persons who have indicated they will run for the Arcadia City Council in April.

No challengers had taken out nominating papers for the council election, as of Jan. 22.

The incumbents, Mayor Charles Gilb and Councilwoman Mary Young, have filed their nominating papers in the city clerk's office.

Gilb, who owns a produce company, has served for eight years on the council. Young, a community volunteer before her election to the council, has served for four years.

Three people have taken out papers for the city clerk's position, being vacated by Christine

Van Maanen. Van Maanen, who has been city clerk for 32 years, has decided not to seek re-election.

Possible candidates for the seat are Joyce MacArtney, an employee of the Arcadia Chamber of Commerce; Ronald Hutson, a business consultant; and Estella L. Ross, a postal clerk.

Candidates have until 5 p.m. on Feb. 4 to file nominating papers at City Hall. The papers must be filed to qualify for the April 12 municipal ballot.

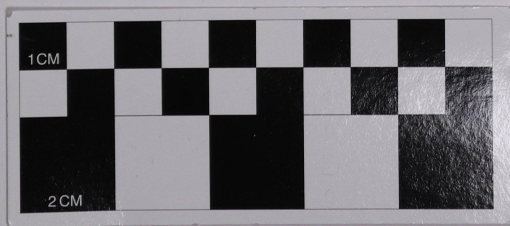
Since the incumbent city clerk has decided not to seek re-election, the filing period for that position will be extended until Feb. 9.



Staff photo by Scott Ruby

Cutting the cake

Officials who participated in groundbreaking ceremonies last week for a \$10.5-million renovation at Santa Anita Fashion Park in Arcadia were, from left, Royce McKinley, president of Santa Anita Realty Enterprises, Inc., co-developer of the mall; Robert Strub, chairman of Santa Anita Realty; and Charles Gilb, mayor of Arcadia. Major changes and design elements in the 12-year-old mall have been planned to enable the regional center to maintain a "competitive edge" in the local market, said mall officials. Construction is expected to take about 10 months.





June 12, 1989

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UNIVERSITY OF IDAHO
INDUCTS CHARLES GILB
INTO HALL OF FAME

MOSCOW, IDAHO--During the University of Idaho's Centennial Commencement ceremonies, Arcadia City Council member and businessman Charles Gilb was inducted into the UI's Alumni Hall of Fame.

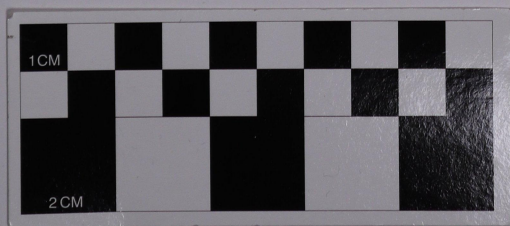
Gilb graduated from the UI in 1950 with a bachelor's degree in business.

A produce executive, Gilb is integrally involved in business and community service. He is president of the Charles E. Gilb Company in California, a nationwide distributor of fresh fruits and vegetables, and co-founder of Progressive Produce, one of the nation's largest onion and potato jobbing and packing operations. In addition, Gilb is co-founder of Pathfinder Trucking, Blue Pacific Produce, Direct Produce and Liberty Fruit and Produce Company.

Gilb is a member of various professional and community organizations. He served on the board of directors for many of these organizations, and is in his thirteenth year on the Arcadia City Council. He served as the city's mayor for three terms. In 1969, Gilb received the first National Produce Industry Award, which established a \$50,000 research fellowship for cancer at the City of Hope, Duarte, Calif., in his name. He was named Arcadia Citizen of the Year in 1976, and one year later received the Boy Scouts' Silver Beaver Award, the highest award given to a volunteer in scouting.

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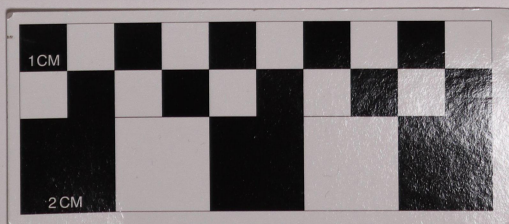
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LINDA JONES, MARKETING ANALYST



My sister's disabled, and I started helping out her group four years ago. I think in some ways I get just as much from them as they do from me. I like helping them get on a river raft or feel what it's like to ride a horse or make a basket, and they teach me what courage is.

Linda A. Jones

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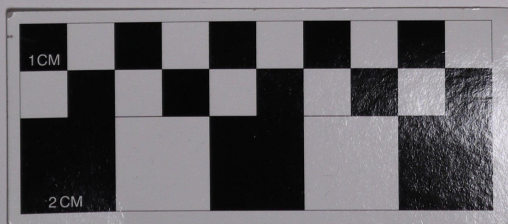
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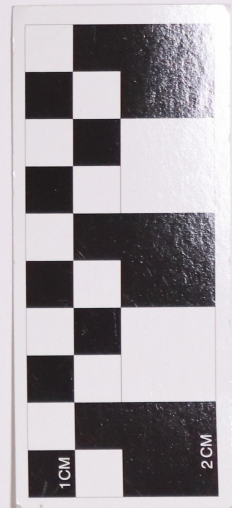


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JACK LANTZ'S BIG BAND



Gilb makes history as 4-time mayor ⁹¹

By Chris Eftychiou
Staff Writer

ARCADIA — For a record fourth time in Arcadia history, Charles Gilb was elected by the City Council as mayor Tuesday night, replacing Mary Young after her one-year term expired.

Although the vote for Gilb was unanimous, council members were split 3-2 on the selection of Robert Harbicht as mayor pro tem, with newest council members George Fasching and Joseph Ciraulo voting no.

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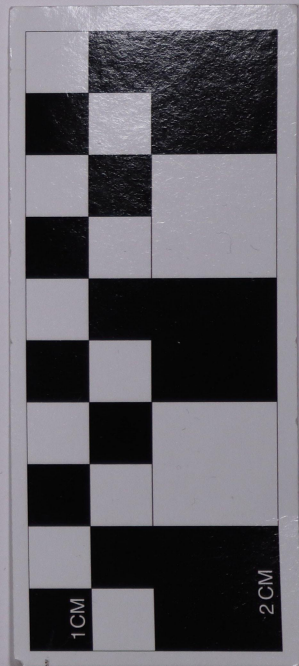
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Gilb elected to fourth term as Arcadia mayor

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Charles Gilb was elected to serve his fourth term as mayor of Arcadia at Tuesday night's meeting of the Arcadia City Council.

First elected to the council in 1974, he became mayor for 1975-76. He served two consecutive four-year terms and went off the council, according to city charter regulations, before he was successfully elected to another two terms beginning in 1984. He currently is beginning his 16th year as a member of the City Council.

Gilb says his goals are to continue the redevelopment and development of the downtown area and see the completion of the Senior Citizens Center as well as finish other projects currently in progress.

Next year, he will celebrate 40 years in the produce business. He owns Charles E. Gilb Co., a nationwide distributor of fresh fruits and vegetables, specializing in potatoes and onions.

Honored as Citizen of the Year, he has been president of the League of California Cities,

Independent Cities Association, Produce Dealers and Brokers Association and Arcadia Tournament of Roses. He has been named Man of the Year by the City of Hope and has received the Silver Beaver Award from Boy Scouts.

Last year he was

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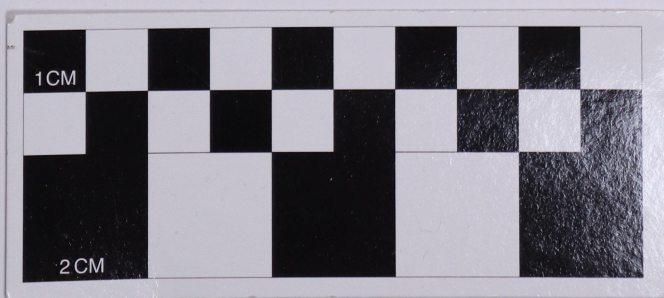
where he graduated with a degree in business administration and economics.

Gilb and his wife, Ruth, are 44-year residents of Arcadia and are the parents of three adult children: Denice, Michael and Valerie.

Bob Harbicht was elected mayor pro-tem on a vote of 3-2.



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Elected: Mayor Charles Gilb, left, with former Mayor Mary Young.



Staff photos / Dorothy Cunningham

Special events: Above, mistress of ceremonies Celia Kalm at the Chamber of Commerce second annual Secretaries Day Luncheon. Right, from left, Dick and Mary Young and Charles and Ruth Gilb enjoy a retirement dinner.

Community honors retirees, secretaries

HONORING THE RETIREES — Ruth Gilb and Dick Young honored their respective spouses **Charles Gilb** and **Mary Young** with a reception, giving over 150 of their long-time friends the opportunity to honor and thank them for their many years of service and great contribution to the community.

It was held at the Sunset Room of the Santa Anita Golf Club previous to the ceremonies held at City Hall.

A warm charming atmosphere prevailed, recognizing that the retirees can now bask in the glory, which they richly deserve and for which they will long be remembered.

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SECRETARIES DAY — There was a great turnout for the Chamber of Commerce second annual Secretaries Day Luncheon held at the Sunset Room of the Santa Anita Golf Course. Hilarity prevailed as bosses were tweaked for their idiosyncrasies, and secretaries for their follies.

Prizes were given to **Carmen Piscatelli** for being longest on the job; **Marion Travisano**, longest without a raise; **Michele Upp**, most creative excuses for leaving work early; **Dennis Lojeski**, boss with most personal phone calls; **Sterling Myers**, biggest gossip; several more were also awarded.

It was all in good fun as the special mistress of ceremonies, **Celia Kalm**, spun a web of humor and satire, and the Magic Castle magician **Donald Wortman** amazed the audience with his sleight of hand and balloon buffoonery performed with participating luncheon members.

Sweepings Dorothy Cunningham



There was a good representation of local business groups, and there is no doubt that next year *no one* will want to miss this highly entertaining event so well executed by the Chamber staff, **Jan Brautovich**, **Joyce Macartney**, **Helen Baird** and executive director **Kel Mason**.

Chamber dignitaries present were **Howard Larew**, president; **Don Kennedy**, past president; **Gordon Maddock**, president elect; **Monty Lindsay**, secretary/treasurer. City officials were represented by the newly-elected mayor **George Fasching**; **Joe Ciraulo**, mayor pro-tem; councilman **Dennis Lojeski**.

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CELEBRATE DIVERSITY — "This is an experience I will never forget. It has changed my life." These were the words of five Arcadia High School students who took part in a "Celebration of Diversity of Culture and Race," the provocative subject of the most recent AAUW meeting. The panel of five students attended "Brotherhood/Sisterhood" summer camp of the National Conference of Christians and Jews and acknowledged that it was not only an eye-opening experience, but

one they would forever remember.

All of them agreed they had learned to accept themselves and to recognize their own prejudices. They realized that Arcadia is a sheltered community and compared themselves to students from a city like Compton, which one girl described as a "dangerous place." In Arcadia, she said "The biggest fear we have is a bad hair day!" Yet, she noted, Arcadians don't like to admit that even in this city there are problems that must be faced.

The students — one white, one Asian, one Latina, one Filipino/Egyptian and one of Middle-Eastern ancestry — are carrying on the lessons they learned during that week. They've formed a unit of NCCJ on campus, spoken to students and adults about their experiences, and met the resistance of their parents to the new things they've learned. But now it's a different world.

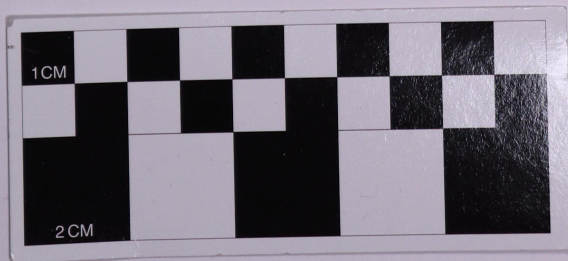
The participating students, under the direction of high school instructor **Lou Dodd**, were **Traci Dawn Bettancourt**, **Lionel Lee**, **Nora Ramos**, **Michele Silimon** and **Rachel Thompson**.

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TOP OF THE WORLD — Wouldn't it have been an exciting adventure to be in the pocket of **Jean Puckett** and share her weekend spent with her high school classmate **Helen Copley** (of Copley Press). Puckett and her husband **Bob** were invited to Copley's "top of the world" elegant home in La Jolla.

The visit was continued with a flight to Borrego Springs where they planned their class reunion for the coming year.

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Gilb makes history as 4-time mayor

By Chris Eftychiou
Staff Writer

ARCADIA — For a record fourth time in Arcadia history, Charles Gilb was elected by the City Council as mayor Tuesday night, replacing Mary Young after her one-year term expired.

Although the vote for Gilb was unanimous, council members were split 3-2 on the selection of Robert Harbicht as mayor pro tem, with newest council members George Fasching and Joseph Ciraulo voting no.

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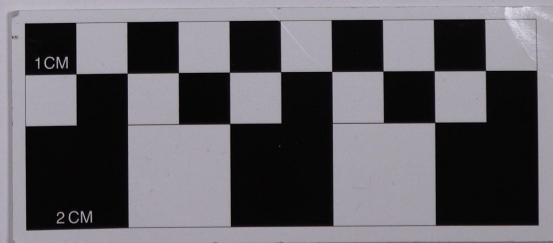
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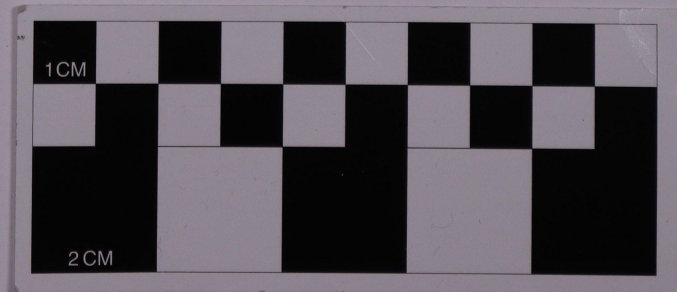


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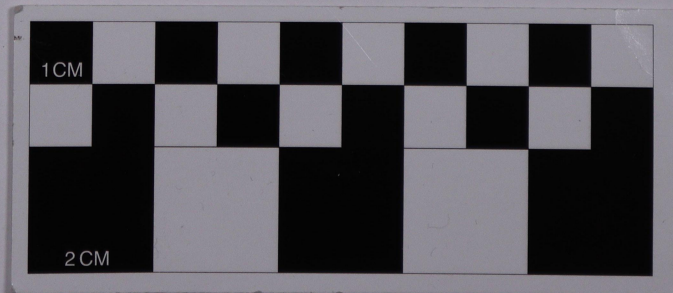
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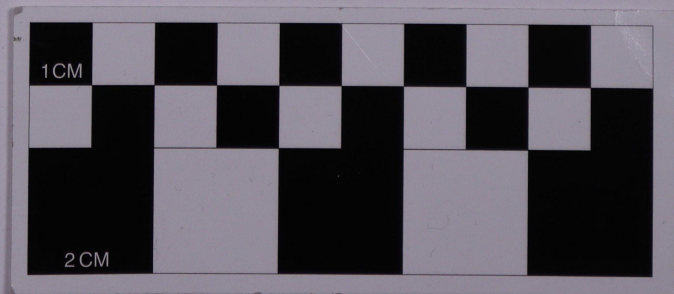
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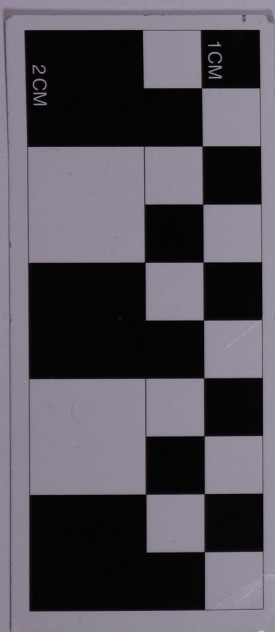
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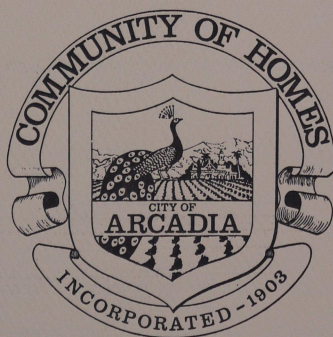
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*Friday morning, April 17, 1992
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*Arcadia Community Center
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Reservations required - Seating is limited

*Please respond
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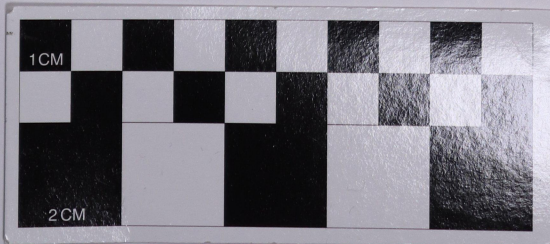
AFTER 16 YEARS — Charles Gilb, who has served on the Arcadia City Council for 16 years, is pictured with his wife, Ruth, and Judge Jack Saunders.

Sierra Madre News Photo



GOOD WISHES FOR MARY — Congratulating Mary Young, second from right, on her eight years as a member of the Arcadia City Council are Jim and Sue Nevin, left, and her husband, Dick Young, right.

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Council recap

APRIL 1992

Gilb, Young retire from council

With presentations from numerous elected officials at the county, state and federal levels, the Chamber of Commerce and other local groups, Charles Gilb and Mary Young retired from the Arcadia City Council last week.

For Gilb, it was the culmination of 16 years on the council, a career that began in 1975 and included an unprecedented four terms as mayor. The 67-year-old produce executive became emotional as he talked about serving on the council longer than any one in the history of the city. He said, "This is a sentimental time for me."

Young, a community volunteer and the owner of an interior decorating firm, was first elected to

the council in 1984 and was subsequently re-elected to a four-year term in 1988. She served as mayor twice during her eight years on the council. She pointed out that while she has worked for them two things still need to be done: sound walls and Orange Grove paving.

Judge S. Clark Moore administered the oath of office to new councilmembers, Dennis Lojeski and Robert Margett, and to the re-elected city clerk, June Alford.

George Fasching, who is serving the third year of his first four-term on the council, was unanimously elected mayor, while Joe Ciraulo, who won a council seat at the same time as Fasching, was elected mayor pro tem.

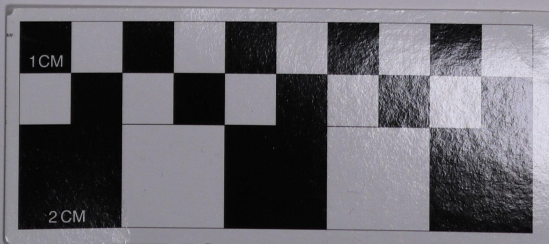
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introduced family members in attendance and outlined some of their goals. They talked about traffic issues, need for new or refurbished police and library facilities and an auditorium.

In other action, the council set May 5 for public hearings having to do with household hazardous waste and a landscaping project in the 200 block of Arbolada Dr.

The council adopted ordinances relating to paving standards in commercial and industrial zones and another having to do with rezoning properties in the 600 block of N. Santa Anita Ave.

A study session to discuss the auditorium issue with the Arcadia Board of Education will precede the May 5 council meeting.



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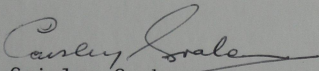
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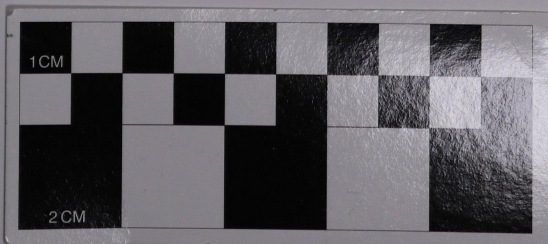
The last meeting of this Committee was advised by Margaret Lewis that you were to retire from Public Office in Arcadia during April at the end of your current term as Mayor.

On behalf of this Committee I would like to thank you for what you have done to foster Sister City relationships between Newcastle and Arcadia.

I also convey to yourself and Mrs Gilb wishes for good health for the future and success in your future endeavours.

Yours sincerely


Caisley Graham
Secretary-Treasurer.



The Social Whirl

by Floretta Lauber



CIVIC LEADERS AT CITY'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

The Arcadia Historical Society hosted a "double header" last Thursday evening with a light buffet served to 100 members and guests in the dance room at the Community Center to honor its past presidents and to celebrate the city's 95th birthday. Chairman of the event was Gian Wardell, assisted by board members Kirk Davenport, Mickey Ball, Mary Leupold, Dorothy Hauser and President Virginia Moseley. Special kudos go to the driving force behind the society and museum, Carol Libby.

One of the highlights of the evening was Mayor Kovacic's presentation of a beautiful and unusual col-

lection of photographs by the renowned photographer William Karl Valentine entitled "Santa Anita" and inscribed: "Given to the Arcadia Historical Society on the occurrence of the city's 95th birthday from Mayor Gary and Barbara Kovacic."

Other highlights included recognition of past presidents attending: Jack Barnes with wife Ester; Dr. Tom Miles with wife Cecelia; Mildred Shaw with husband Warren; Richard Proctor with wife Ena; Gil Stromsøe and wife Carol, and Carol Libby. City council members, past mayors, City Manager Bill Kelly and City Clerk June Alford were among the guests attending.

For the grand finale,

the mayor cut the official birthday cake preceding the community concert on the lawn. Three hundred guests enjoyed cake.



At city's 95th birthday party, Mayor Gary Kovacic reads inscription from book he and his wife Barbara presented to the Historical Society. Accepting are Carol Libby, museum curator, and Virginia Moseley, president.



Youngest guests enjoying birthday cake at community concert are the Morrell family with dad assisting Joseph and twins John and James.

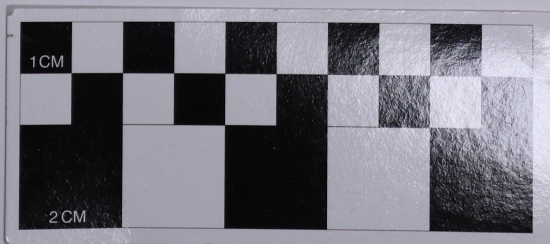


At birthday celebration are (l-r) Mayor Pro-Tem Roger Chandler, former mayors Charles Gilb, Bob Arth and Robert Harbicht (a current councilmember).



Arcadia Councilmember Gail Marshall with Barbara Kuhn, former mayor, at city's 95th birthday party hosted by the Historical Society.

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Arcadia's 95th birthday just the beginning

Arcadia Historical Society and city officials held a mini celebration for Arcadia's 95th birthday. Past presidents of the society in attendance were honored with recognition plaques. They were Jack Barnes, Tom Miles, Mildred Shaw, Richard Proctor, Gil Stromsoe and Carol Libby.

President Virginia Mosley presided.

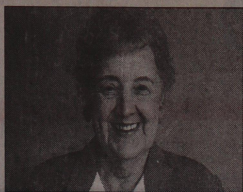
Mayor Gary Kovacic presented a birthday gift to the museum, a book on Santa Anita. It was accepted by curator Carol Libby for the library.

Past mayors in attendance were Bob Arth, Charles Gilb, Floretta Lauber, Barbara Kuhn, Rodger Chandler and Robert Harbicht.

Members of the board prepared a light buffet, and the mayor did the honors of cutting the birthday cake.

Three hundred pieces of cake were served, followed by foot-stomping country music provided by the "New Frontier Band."

This was a small preview of the big bash that will occur when Arcadia celebrates its 100th birthday. This event is already in the



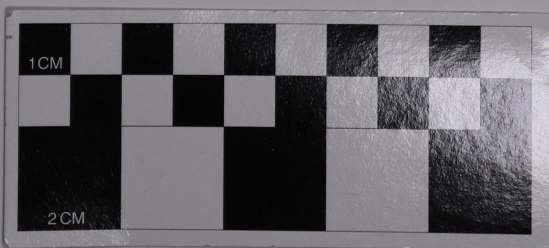
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planning stages.



Photo by Dorothy Cunningham

ARCADIA MAYOR Gary Kovacic presents birthday gift for the museum library to curator Carol Libby.



Arcadia, Newcastle still sharing shrimp on the barbie after a quarter century

It was more like a 'people to people' program such as Eisenhower established," said Charles Gilb, one of the originators of the Sister City Program some 25 years ago. Many long-lasting friendships that developed over the years with residents of Newcastle, Australia, are still in existence.

Visiting John Price, consul general of Australia, was the occasion for the Sister City Commission to hold a reception at the Arcadia Community Center. Although Price was unable to attend, several of us who had taken the first trip were there to

reminisce about the experience of being so warmly welcomed by the entire community of Newcastle. Ed Butterworth was then a founding leader with the commission, and Jack and Esther Barnes and Bob and Claire Arth were frequent visitors to Newcastle. Later, Jack

Carol Libby produced a display of memorabilia of people involved in the first exchange.

Saleids played a prominent part in bringing the Arcadia High School Apache Band to Newcastle and, in turn, arranging for the Newcastle High School Koala Band to perform here.

To help bring back memories, Carol Libby, Arcadia curator of the Historical Society Museum, produced a display of memorabilia of people involved in the first exchanges.

Peter Ulrich, with the help of the Arcadia Sister City Commission, produced an outstanding hors d'oeuvres buffet.

Newcastle sent a video of prominent citizens expressing their friendship with Arcadia, remembering the good times together, and their plans to celebrate the 25 years of friendship on Sept. 26.

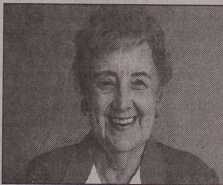
To coincide with that date, a gala reunion will be held here in Arcadia.

All persons who traveled to Newcastle, members of the Arcadia High School band and their chaperones, please contact Jean Johnson at (626) 447-7637 for



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ARCADIA Sister City Commission members Ruth Gilb, left, and Jerree Lean pose with Dick Cordano in front of the flag of Newcastle, Australia.



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more details.

Arcadia Sister City Commission member Dick Cordano was the emcee of this occasion. Other commission members are Jean Cope, Dean Efstathiou, James Haner, Jean Johnson, Jerree Lean, Joan Leathery, Monty Lindsey, Robert Westfall and honorary members Peter Daily, Ruth Gilb and Marie Schmitt.

30 YEARS OF SERVICE

With more than 100 volunteers to witness the event, the Arboretum of Los Angeles County recently honored Marilyn Bochte for having completed 30 years of volunteer service to the botanical garden and museum of historical buildings. Marilyn is the first volunteer to have reached this distinction. Coming from Santa Barbara to present this award was Los Voluntarios founder Maria Stewart, wife of the Arboretum's first director, William Stewart.

Marilynn said, "I love this place, our Arboretum, but today my biggest thrill was receiving the commemorating plaque from

Maria Stewart."

Maria is remembered for her dedication to establishing the Arboretum corps of volunteers, her Children's Theater and work with Creative Arts.

Members of Los Voluntarios, an organization of 300 men and women, were originally formed in 1967 to help maintain historic buildings. They contribute about 30,000 hours annually.

The Voluntarios have been conducting school field trips for 30 years. This year, 90 schools were served and more than 4,400 students. Speaker's Bureau has given more than 30 programs with attendance reaching 1,000. That's just the tip of the iceberg, as was noted when incoming President Bill Bochte introduced 22 chairmen who are responsible for the varied services provided.

Many others, too numerous to mention, were honored for their years of service, from 10 to 25 years. "We feel pride toward those we honor and what they have accomplished," said President June Botcher, who has served two terms. The executive committee consists of Bill Bochte, president; June Botcher, first vice-president; Margo Nikoloric, second vice-president; Ginny French, secretary; Virginia Stein, treasurer; and Eileen Hubbard, president's advisor.

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